



DUE

ROMULUS PUBLIC LIBRARY
1121 WAYNE ROAD
ROMULUS, MICH. 48174

The Romulus Roman

Week of March 20-March 26, 1997

Vol. 103, Number 12

THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF ROMULUS

3 Sections

24 Pages

50¢



Woman slain with hammer

A Romulus man faces murder charges following the bludgeoning death of his 58-year-old wife in their Cherry street home, police reported.

The retired steelworker actually called Romulus police Tuesday to report that he had struck his wife with a hammer at least three times, while she slept on a living room couch.

Romulus police say that he then slit his own wrists with a knife in an apparent suicide attempt. Police said they arrived at his home, while the blood soaked man was still talking to authorities on the phone.

He was admitted to Annapolis Hospital in Wayne and was listed in fair condition.

Police confiscated the knife, hammer and several razor type box cutters from the home. The bath tub was also filled with water and blood, police said.

The husband said he has been badly depressed lately and has been taking antidepressant medication.

A complete report on the investigation will appear in the Sunday *Eyewitness* and the *Romulus Roman* next Thursday.

Wayne goes to semi-finals

Behind Lorenzo Guess' 24 points and Lavelle Guess' 18 points Wayne Memorial buried East Lansing 86-66 on Tuesday night to advance to the Class A state basketball semi-finals.

Wayne will play Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills at 2:50 p.m. Friday at Breslin Fieldhouse in Lansing in the semi-final round of the state championship.

(See story on page C-2)

Candles mark vigil

Residents who are seeking to preserve the Chamberlain House, which is being eyed as a site for a new fire station, are hosting a candlelight vigil at 8 p.m. March 22 at the Wayne Road site of the house.

111th year observed

This month, the *Belleville Enterprise* is observing its 111th year of publication.

A special observance of the event and the anniversaries of the other *Michigan Community Newspapers* will be staged later in the year.

INSIDE

| | |
|-------------------|-----|
| Engagements | B-5 |
| Letters | A-6 |
| Obits | C-5 |
| Opinions | A-6 |
| Sports | B-1 |
| Wheels | C-1 |

Thursday, March 20, 1997
© Copyright 1997
Michigan Community Newspapers
All rights reserved.
Printed on 100% recycled paper.

HOME DELIVERY 729-4000
CLASSIFIED ADS 729-3300
NEWSROOM 729-4000



Fan meets legend

Eric Lang of Wayne (right) received an autograph from hockey legend Gordie Howe when former Red Wings challenged the Law Auto Sales team at the Wayne Ice Arena in a benefit for the Make-A-Wish Foundation. Final score: Former Wings, 6, Law, 3. MCN photo by Lori Gillespie

Salvation Army Complex dedication due Sunday

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

The Romulus Salvation Army's spacious new Adult Rehabilitation Center complex at Van Born and Middlebelt roads will be officially dedicated at 2 p.m. this Palm Sunday.

New commander, Major Brian Merritt, revealed his two immediate predecessors, Majors Roger Senn and Harold Pettys, will attend the religious ceremonies.

Territorial Commissioner Harold Hinson of Chicago will offer the main presentation at the 45-minute service. It will

be followed by a tour of the complex that includes the rehabilitation center, the separation and distribution building and the thrift store.

The rehabilitation center-thrift store previously was located at the old Goddard road location for more than a quarter century.

It was forced to move because of the planned expansion of the Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

The thrift store will be the second new commercial outlet the Salvation Army has opened in recent weeks. The earlier one is located on Mich-

igan Avenue in Wayne, adjacent to the new Save a Lot grocery store.

Merritt reminds area residents that purchases at the eight area Army thrift stores have a two fold purpose. First the sales save the purchaser needed cash and secondly it provides the Army with the only funds it gets to operate the life saving rehabilitation center in Romulus.

Ninety five percent of the male substance abuse victims aided at the Army rehabilitation center in Romulus reside in Wayne County, Merritt said.

Flood relief off to Kentucky

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Romulus assistance for Kentucky flood victims was slated to leave the area yesterday, following a weeklong collection spurred on by a Romulus Middle School student and her parents.

Seventh grader Andrea

Marosan and her parents, Andrew and Lynn, ignited the city wide drive to collect dried and canned foods, cleaning supplies, clothes and blankets for victims of this winter's flood in the greater Louisville area.

Andrew Marosan is a maintenance man for Legend Express Co. of Romulus. Through

his efforts the trucking company has agreed to drive the flood relief supplies to an American Red Cross center in Louisville.

The relief items were collected at all Romulus schools, City Hall, the Recreation Center and the Legend Express Co. itself.

2 horse abusers to be sentenced

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

A Romulus couple accused of mistreating seven Arabian horses will be sentenced on March 31 by 34th District Court Judge Tina Brooks Green.

The pair, Pamela Sue and Joseph Haddad, pleaded guilty on March 12 to seven misdemeanors relating to the death of two of their horses and the extreme weight loss of five others.

In a plea agreement with the Wayne County Prosecutor's office, the Haddads' pleaded guilty to the misdemeanor charges while two felonies charging the pair were responsible for the killing and torture of the animals were dismissed. The bail of \$2,500 (10 percent) was continued.

Green accepted the pleas, but said she would not be bound by any recommendations passed on to her by the prosecutor's office as a result of the plea agreement.

The Haddad couple face 90 day jail terms on each of the seven counts, \$1,000 fines, long periods of community service, payment of veterinarian costs and the possibility of never being able to own a horse again.

Discussions at the hearing in Green's courtroom last week centered on recommendations that the couple not be allowed to own horses or other large animals for at least two years and provide extensive hours of community service.

The Haddads apparently will be allowed to keep their dogs and other indoor types of animals.

Some confusion arose early in the court session as a new Assistant Prosecutor Dan Wilson arrived on the scene

along with three public defenders (only one had been expected).

Green urged that only one attorney represent each defendant at the preliminary hearing and they later decide which attorney or attorneys actually will continue with the case after the hearing.

The two felony charges that were dismissed could have sent the pair to jail for up to four years each.

Following the hearing, Green then sent the defendants across the hall to the 34th District's Probation Department for a pre-sentencing examination. Much of Green's sentencing decisions will come from that indepth report.

Romulus police and animal control officers were called to the Haddad's barn on March 5 after they received citizen reports of horses not being fed or cared for, etc.

Police found the animals without proper food or water and looking like they were hundreds of pounds underweight. Two of the seven horses had to be destroyed immediately by a veterinarian because of their overgrown hoofs that made it unable for them to stand.

The couple was arrested a short time later and arraigned the next day and placed on \$2,500 (10 percent) bail.

Two feet of mud and manure filled the stalls, police reported.

The five surviving Arabians are being temporarily cared for at the Zephyr Arabian site operated by Fred Hay and family.

It has not been revealed where the horses will be sent for follow-up care.

New dress code feed back urged

A new dress code for Romulus students is being put together for the 1997-98 school year and reaction from parents and students is being sought.

The proposed code was put together by a committee headed by Athletic Director Jesse Meriweather that included two students, three parents and one board of education member.

The dress code recommended the Romulus school handbook state:

Dress and grooming that is hazardous to the student or

distracting to or disruptive of the educational process is prohibited.

Violators will be sent home or to an in-house situation, where a parent will have to bring a change of clothing.

In addition no bare feet, midriffs or backs, see-through shirts or tank tops will be allowed.

No wearing apparel that advertises illegal substances or displays inappropriate language will be permitted on the school scene.

The school administration will make the final decision on a new dress code.

Pre-election surprise: 6 running for rep seat

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

A major battle looms now for the chance to succeed former State Rep. Gregory Pitoniak, as five Taylor Democrats have filed with the Wayne County Elections Department to run for the Democratic nomination on May 20.

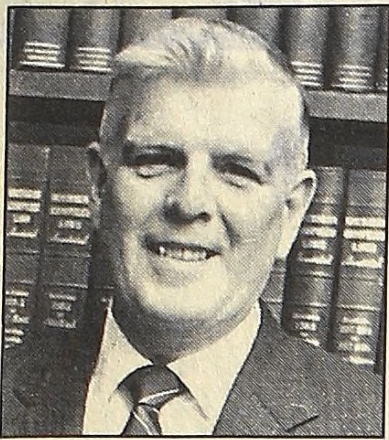
Since the Romulus-Taylor seat is lodged in a strongly Democratic stronghold, most election watchers feel that whoever wins the Democratic nomination will become the next local state representative.

The Taylor Democrats who have filed include: Taylor Treasurer (and former Romulus school board member)

Wayne Avery, Taylor Councilman Ray Basham, Susan Cisko (former independent candidate), Kevin J. McGuckin, a Wayne County Sheriff's employee and Edward G. Mulka, described as a landscaper by trade.

One lone Republican candidate, Richard J. Butkowski, also has filed for the seat.

Pitoniak won re-election to his 22nd District seat last November, but resigned that position on Jan. 31 to assume the role of acting mayor in Taylor. The previous Mayor Cameron Priebe stepped down from his city post the same day to assume a position with Wayne County.



Rep. Tom Kelly

Kelly fights to keep road funds from 'raiders'

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Tired of seeing Michigan Department of Transportation funds being drained by other state departments rather than being used to repair many of Michigan's pothole filled and damaged road and bridge systems, State Rep. Tom Kelly (D-Wayne) has begun fighting back.

Kelly appeared last Friday at a meeting of Conference of Western Wayne board members in Dearborn, urging that the CWW and individual communities send resolutions to state senators in support of House Bill 4147.

The CWW board unanimously approved support for the bill following a motion by Wayne Mayor Kenneth Warfield and support from Inkster

Mayor Edward Bivens.

The bill had been introduced on Jan. 29 by various state representatives including Kelly and Eileen DeHart (D-Westland) as well as then State Rep. Gregory Pitoniak (D-Taylor).

On Feb. 18, Kelly also had sent out memorandums to area mayors and council members asking for their support also of the bill. Some have already

done so.

The bill would amend Public Act 51 of 1951 to read that the "funds deposited to the credit of the Michigan Transportation Fund not be appropriated for expenditures for services rendered by any department or agency other than the State Transportation Department or State Transportation Commission."

Kelly explained to the CWW

leaders that he expected the Michigan House to approve the bill as early as this week, but feels unless public pressure is added that "it will be buried" and never get out of committee in the Michigan Senate and this suffer an early death.

Ironically while the bill was in the House committee, the main opponents were the Secretary of State's office and the Department of Transportation itself, Kelly said.

Last year \$108 million was taken from the DOT by other state departments, he said, and to date \$111 million is so destined in 1997.

Kelly complained at this time there are "no checks and balances" on such funding and thus such spending limitations need to be put in place HB 4147.

At Your Metro Detroit Lincoln-Mercury Dealers

Big Savings On Versatility & Capability.

Standard Features: • 3.0-liter OHC V-6 engine • Dual air bags* • Multi-point electronic fuel injection • Front-wheel drive • Tilt steering column • Power rack-and-pinion steering • Rear window washer/wiper • Solar tint glass • Electronic AM/FM stereo cassette • Front cornering lamps • Side window defoggers • Childproof lock on sliding door GS Preferred Equipment Package 692A: • Power windows/locks • Dual power mirrors • 7-passenger seating • Luggage rack • 8-way power driver's seat • Aluminum wheels • Remote keyless entry • 4 captain's chairs • Rear seat heat/air-conditioning controls

\$279¹ Or **\$1,000²** Cash Back
On A Purchase Or RED CARPET LEASE

Per Month, 24-Month Lease

\$500 Villager Lease Renewal³



1997 Mercury Villager GS

¹97 Villager GS with PEP 692A MSRP \$24,195 excluding title, tax and license fee. Lease payments based on average capitalized cost of 89.94% of MSRP for Villager for 24-month closed-end Ford Credit Red Carpet Leases purchased in the Detroit Region through 11/30/96. Some payments higher, some lower. See dealer for payment/terms. Lessee may have option to buy vehicle at lease end at price negotiated with dealer at signing. Lessee responsible for excess wear/tear and mileage over 24,000 at \$.15/mile. Credit approval/insurability determined by Ford Credit. Actual security deposit will vary depending on taxes and other fees. For special lease terms and \$1,000 Lease Cash Rebate, take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 4/2/97. Total amount of monthly payments is \$6,696. See dealer for complete details. ²For \$1,000 cash back on a purchase or Red Carpet Lease of a 1997 Villager, take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 4/2/97. Customers eligible for \$500 RCL renewal incentive must terminate their new or used Villager lease between 1/4/97 and 4/2/97. A customer's Villager lease terminated early will qualify if it is terminated within the program dates. Customers who have previously terminated their Villager lease from 10/2/96 through 1/3/97 are also eligible if they Red Carpet Lease a '97 Villager within the program period. Offer ends 4/2/97. *Excludes tax and other fees. ³Always wear your safety belt and secure children in the rear seat.

Standard Features: • Dual air bags* • 5.0-liter V-8 engine • Sequential multi-port electronic fuel injection • Tilt steering wheel • CFC-free air conditioner • Solar tint glass • 100,000-mile tune-up interval** • Illuminated entry system • 4-wheel disc anti-lock brakes Preferred Equipment Package 655A: • Anti-theft alarm • Running boards • 6-way power sport bucket seats • Remote keyless entry

\$349³

Per Month, 24-Month Lease

- All-wheel drive
- Standard V-8
- Running boards

24-Month/24,000-Mile Red Carpet Lease
First Month's Payment¹\$349
Down Payment\$1,725
Refundable Security Deposit\$350
Cash Due at Signing²\$2,424



1997 Mercury Mountaineer

Imagine Yourself In a Mercury.

¹97 AWD Mountaineer with PEP 655A MSRP \$31,180 excluding title, taxes and license fee. Lease payments based on average capitalized cost of 90.81% of MSRP for Mountaineer for 24-month closed-end Ford Credit Red Carpet Leases purchased in the Detroit Region through 11/30/96. Some payments higher, some lower. See dealer for payment/terms. Lessee may have option to buy vehicle at lease end at price negotiated with dealer at signing. Lessee responsible for excess wear/tear and mileage over 24,000 at \$.15/mile. Credit approval/insurability determined by Ford Credit. Actual security deposits will vary depending on taxes and other fees. For special lease terms, take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 4/2/97. Total amount of monthly payments is \$8,376. See dealer for complete details. *Excludes tax and other fees. ²Always wear your safety belt and secure children in the rear seat. ³Under normal driving conditions with routine fluid/filter changes.

Visit us on the Internet at <http://www.lincolnmercury.com/detroit>



ANN ARBOR
Apollo
2100 W. Stadium Blvd. at Liberty
(313) 668-6100

DEARBORN
Krug
21531 Michigan Ave.
Between Southfield and Telegraph
(313) 274-8800

DETROIT
Bob Maxey
16901 Mack Ave. at Cadieux
(313) 885-4000

DETROIT
Park Motor
18100 Woodward Ave.
Opposite Palmer Park
(313) 869-5000

FARMINGTON
Bob Dusseau
31625 Grand River Ave.
1 Block West of Orchard Lake Rd.
(810) 474-3170

GARDEN CITY
Stu Evans
32000 Ford Rd.
Just West of Merriman
(313) 425-4300

NOVI
Varsity
49251 Grand River
196 1 Block S. of Wixom Exit
(810) 305-5300

PLYMOUTH
Hines Park
40601 Ann Arbor Rd. at I-275
1-800-550-MERC

ROCHESTER HILLS
Crissman
1185 South Rochester Rd.
Between Hamlin and Avon Rd.
(810) 652-4200

ROSEVILLE
Arnold
29000 Gratiot
At 12 Mile Road
(810) 445-6000

ROYAL OAK
Diamond
221 N. Main St. at 11 Mile Road
(810) 541-8830

SOUTHFIELD
Star
24350 W. 12 Mile Rd. at Telegraph
(810) 354-4900

SOUTHGATE
Stu Evans
16800 Fort Street at Pennsylvania
(313) 285-8800

STERLING HEIGHTS
Crest
36200 Van Dyke at 15 1/2 Mile Rd.
(810) 939-6000

TROY
Bob Borst
1950 West Maple
Troy Motor Mall
(810) 643-6600

WATERFORD
Mel Farr
4178 Highland Rd. (M-59)
2 Miles West of Telegraph
(810) 683-9500

YPSILANTI
Sesi
950 East Michigan
9 Miles West of I-275
(313) 482-7133



Dearborn finance director retires

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Dr. Keith Archer, Dearborn finance director, retired from his city position on Monday and thus attended his last meeting of the Conference of Western Wayne on March 14 in Dearborn.

Dearborn Mayor Michael Guido informed the representatives of the CWW of Archer's retirement plans, while praising the four decades of service Archer had offered Dearborn.

Several CWW board members expressed disappointment that they would no longer be able to share Archer's classic wit. It was recommended that Archer be extended the rank of "emeritus."

CWW Chairman Robert Thomas said such an option might be considered.

Host homes needed

The non-profit World Heritage Program is building its team of host families in the Great Lakes area, and is seeking families willing to host a foreign exchange student from Germany, France, Spain, Scandinavia or the former Soviet Union for the upcoming school year.

According to Michelle Deck, the Eastern Regional Director, the students will begin arriving in late August and spend either an academic year or the first school semester living with local families. Each student is 15 to 18 years old, has been well screened for flexibility in adjusting to busy working households and has full medical insurance and pocket money. The host family provides room, board and a measure of guidance for their exchange student during the year.

For more information on becoming a host family, contact Deck at the Regional Office (800) 785-9040.

Wayne student achieves success

Bradley Rollins, 10, of Hoover Elementary School has been reading a lot of books lately. So much so, the fifth grader was recently awarded a Certificate of Reading Achievement by his teacher Mary Lynn Baker and principal Patricia Nicolai.

ARE YOU TIRED OF PAYING RENT?
Have little or no credit? You can own a home for less than you pay for rent. For free information please call Home Buyer Specialists:
Terry or Pam
467-4989
Call Today!
RE/MAX
Preferred Inc.

DIGEST

Easter egg hunt has twist

An Easter egg drive-through from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. March 26 in the Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center - Wayne outpatient driveway is slated. Parents may "drive through" with their little ones for candy, prizes, greetings from the Easter Bunny and one plastic egg per child. Five eggs contain special prizes. No registration necessary; call 467-2530 for information.

Bids for Kids benefit

Bids for Kid IV - Wild West Fun Fest, 7:30 p.m. May 9 at the Hellenic Cultural Center, Westland. Cocktails, dining, dancing, horse races and live auction with a western flair. Proceeds to purchase and install fitness equipment in Wayne, Westland, Inkster, Canton Township and Romulus parks. Tickets are \$40 each/\$75 per couple. Call 791-1234 for more information.

Romulus sailor completes course

Navy Seaman Apprentice Rob R. McLellan, son of Debra A. McLellan of Romulus, recently completed the Cryptologic Technician Maintenance Course.

He and other students were taught basic electronic maintenance of equipment used for coding and deciphering coded messages.

He joined the U.S. Navy in 1995.

Poetry month event slated

Ed Kind, an area poet, will help Romulus residents celebrate poetry month on April 7 by reading poetry selections he has written.

Kind's poetry was printed for many years in the *Romulus Roman* newspaper.

The reading will take place from 6:30 to 8 p.m. that night.

Attendance is free at the Romulus Public Library.

Pumpkin Festival entries sought

The newly formed Romulus Pumpkin Committee is seeking samples of possible festival flags.

The flag drawings should be prepared on 8 by 11 inch paper using up to five different colors.

Only the words "Romulus Pumpkin Festival" should appear on the flag and must be submitted by no later than 4 p.m. April 10.

The creator's name, age, address and phone number should be written on the back of the paper.

Entries should be dropped off at either Romulus City Hall or the Recreation Department in care of Rosalie Berlenn or Debbie Dick.

The winning entry will be used on the festival flag and will be awarded a \$150 U.S. Savings Bond. The second place winner will be given a \$100 bond and the third place winner will get a \$75 bond.

Winners will be announced on April 17.

St. Aloysius registration begins

St. Aloysius Catholic Church of Neville Road in Romulus has begun accepting registrations for the 1997-98 school year.

The school offers a 5-day, all day kindergarten and grades 1-8.

Further information can be obtained by calling 941-3340.

Easter marshmallow drop slated in Canton

Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring its annual Easter Marshmallow Drop at 10 a.m. March 29. Canton youngsters, 10 and younger, will be divided into age groups to retrieve the marshmallows to exchange for treats.

Naval officer completes training

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Robert G. Shonce, son of Vicki L. Briggs of Westland, recently graduated from the Navy's Basic Nuclear Power School at Naval Nuclear Power Training Unit, Ballston Spa, N.Y. The 1993 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School joined the Navy in January 1995.

Romulus mayor reads to student

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Romulus dignitaries including Mayor William Oakley, Police Chief Charles Kirby and Romulus School Board member Michael Woods joined in a reading motivation program at Barth Elementary School in Romulus this month.

The student stimulation program was the brain child of Principal Jeffrey Royal and was organized by a school volunteer Tammy Carroll.

Carroll contacted well-known Romulus residents to take part in the program and was appreciative that "each person I called was thrilled to help out" by reading various books to the students.

Each person sat in the same large rocking chair in the school's media center, discussed their job and then read a story from a large picture book.

Royal was thankful that her idea was carried forward so successfully by Carroll. "When I asked Mrs. Carroll to make the contacts and organize the event, she immediately liked the idea also. We appreciate the talented people, who have already helped us out and those who promised to do so the rest of the month," Royal said.

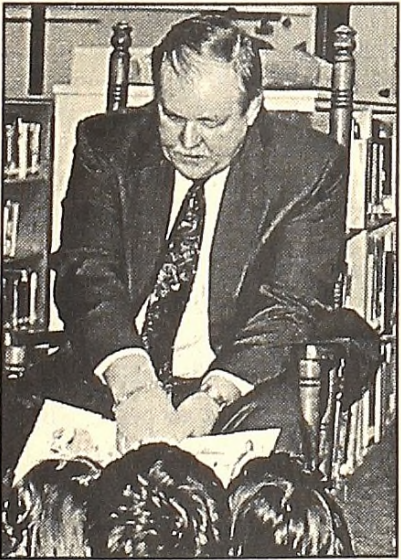
Ironically Oakley read to a class that included two of his own grandchildren. When he was asked by the students what he did for a living, Oakley replied simply "I work in City Hall."

He later stressed the hard work ethic and urged the students to be patient until their dreams are fulfilled.

"Anything worthwhile doesn't always come easily or quickly," Oakley said.

Woods, who followed Oakley, expressed great enthusiasm for reading, calling it one of his favorite boyhood activities. He then read one of his favorite childhood books "The Gingerbread Man." (R)

He told the students "I remember my mother always read to us when we were small. The more you read, the better reader you will become," he told the youngsters.

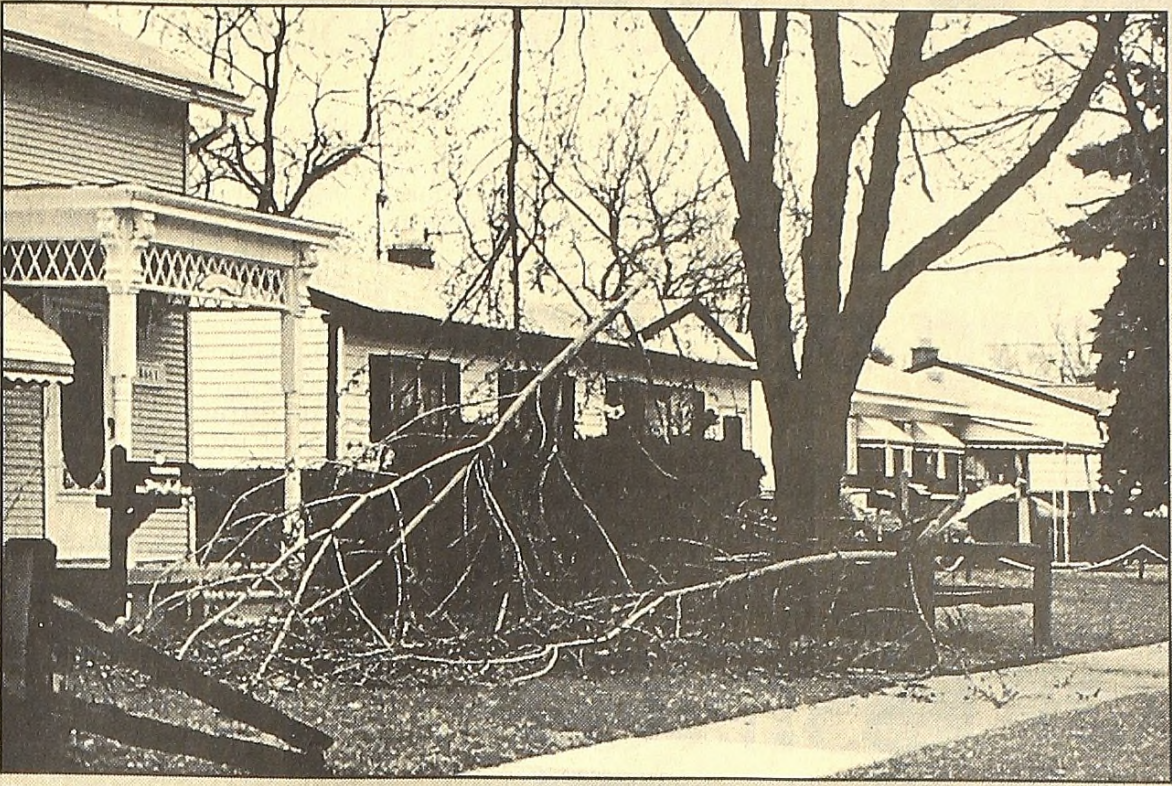


Romulus Mayor William Oakley points to one of the drawings in a book he read to students at Barth Elementary School earlier this month. School Board member Michael Woods was also present to read another story to the children. MCN Special Photo

Woodcarvings to be featured at library

During April, the William P. Faust Public Library of Westland will display woodcarvings by Dearborn woodcarver Joseph Pinho has been carving since he retired from the Ford Motor Company in 1981. His carvings have been displayed in juried shows nationwide.

The carvings will be in one of the Library's exhibit cases, which are directly in front of the Circulation Desk. The Library is located at 6123 Central City Parkway, and is open Monday through Wednesday 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Thursday through Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and Sunday 12-5 p.m.



Branches snapped from a tree on Williams Street in Wayne. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

Ice storm hits

Branches snap, break; some homes lose power

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
MCN Managing Editor

The aftermath of "the worst ice storm to hit Southeastern Michigan" left many households without power and others cleaning up the debris of felled trees and branches from their yards.

On Thursday night, the storm hit knocking out power to some 381,000 households — many of which were located in the northern suburbs.

The storm was labeled the worst in the 94-year history of Detroit Edison.

In the tri-county area, more than 175 schools and universities were closed on Friday. In fact, few schools were open anywhere in Southeastern Michigan.

One MCN staff member could not leave her apartment complex on Friday morning because of downed wires on the roadway.

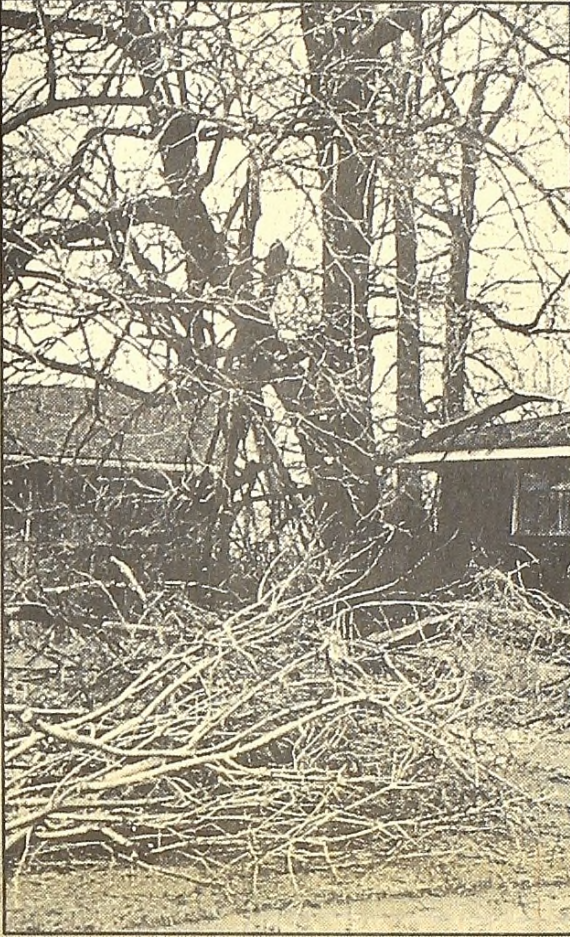
On Friday, many calls came into the MCN office from Western Wayne County residents who had large tree limbs in their yards or on their cars or homes.

One Westland woman reported that a large tree branch crashed through the roof of her home, missing her young son by two feet. Icy rain poured into the home through the gap in the roof, and the family has had to relocate until repairs can be made.

A resident of Thane Street in Westland said she was awakened by the sound of large tree branches crashing into her yard. Although her home was not damaged, branches fell on her car which was parked in the driveway. She lost power in the house.

Tree branches fell into a yard on Dowling Street in Westland, just missing the car parked in the driveway.

Fortunately, for most Western Wayne residents the storm presented more of a clean-up



Power was lost in this Thane Street home in Westland after large branches fell into the front and back yard. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

problem than actual property damage. On Friday and during the weekend, residents began the chore of picking up branches and twigs from their yards.

Young Sumpter pianist wins championship

By KIMBERLY WOLOSKE
MCN Staff Writer

Competing against other musicians older than herself, Audra White won the Open Division Championship at the Michigan Music Association Competition held in Grand Rapids.

White, 15, was up against 16- and 17-year-olds. "Her teacher put her in the competition because he thought she would do good," said Roxanne White, Audra's mother. Apparently George Osius knew what he was talking about.

The competition was held March 8 and 9, and in winning the championship, White took home a traveling trophy, which she will give up next year, unless she wins again. She also received a trophy which she gets to keep.

"She has a lot of trophies," Roxanne said, "but this one

means a lot to her because she was competing against older kids, and she won."

For the Open Division competition, White performed *The Saber Dance*, which is a classical piece. She performed *The Rain Must Fall*, by Yanni, in the Pop Division, earning second place.

White, a Sumpter Township resident, has been playing piano since she was 5, and played music for the Missoula Children's Theater last year. According to her mother, White plays at weddings, and does a special musical selection at her church once a month.

In winning the Open Division Championship, White has qualified for the Nationals, which will be held in Chicago this July.

Aside from playing the piano, White keeps busy as a varsity cheerleader at Airport High School, where she is a 10th grader.



Audra White displays her trophies. MCN photo by Lori Gillespie

Court establishes night deposit for fines

Judge McKnight and I recognize that many people work during the hours the court is open to the public. The night depository will make it more convenient for them to access court payment services.

added that the night depository offers additional accessibility to the court.

"Anyone wishing to make a payment via the night depository must pay by check or money order, not cash. The court will have extra payment envelopes with

the current fine schedule attached to the drop box for us by the citizens," said Judge Gail McKnight.

Open for public use March 1, the box will restrict payments to ticket and fines only. Checks

must be made payable to the 18th District Court. The box is located on the east side of the court building directly in front of the main entrance doors. Anyone with questions or comments should call the court at (313) 595-8720.

Historical museum model of past

The Westland Historical Museum was originally an 80-acre farm house constructed in 1860. As indicated in the original land grant, the farm was bordered by Marquette on the north, Cherry Hill on the south, east by Wayne Road and west by Linville Street.

The museum was formerly located in the Nankin Mill, leased from Wayne County and opened in October of 1974. The former museum served the people of Westland until the collection outgrew the building. The commission began looking for a more suitable site eventually choosing the 857 N. Wayne Road site.

The current museum was purchased in July of 1979 with funding from a state grant for a permanent site for the rapidly growing Westland Historical Collection. From its earliest days as Nankin Township, Westland had been primarily a farming community and the museum serves as an example of a typical Michigan farmhouse in the area in the mid-1800s.

The historical collection/ references include school records, township records, birth/death records from the Wayne County Poor-House (Eloise), maps, biographies of prominent families, election materials, and newspapers.

Teachers wishing to bring their classes to tour the museum are asked to make arrangements in advance.

The Historical Commission operates the museum on a non-profit basis. A nine member body appointed by the mayor comprises the commission on a non-salaried schedule. Budgeting allows the museum to be operated on a weekly basis by volunteers and commission members.

Activities include the purchasing of materials and collection items through grants, fund raising and donations.

For more information on the Westland Historical Museum (857 N. Wayne Road) call the Helen C. Brown museum at 326-1110. Hours are Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. or by appointment.

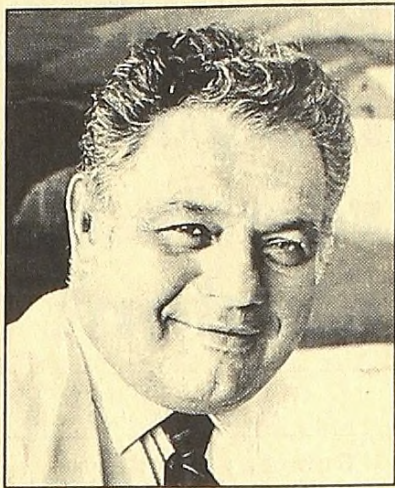
Superintendent testifies in Michigan House

Van Buren Public Schools Superintendent James Richendollar testified in Lansing March 11 before the House Committee on Human Services

and Children on House Bill 4117. The bill was drafted by Michigan Representative Kirk Profit based on Superintendent Richendollar's concern

about suspected child abuse cases. Presently, school officials may not be present when children are interviewed at school

by Protective Services. Profit's bill would amend the law to permit school officials to attend that interview. In many cases, it is the building administrator who initially reports suspected abuse; The building administrators know the child and can provide a "familiar face" during the interview; The building administrator assists the process of the investigation, and can ensure that especially young children are handled properly.



James Richendollar

Chemical spill closes road

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

About a half mile of Merriman road in Romulus was closed down for over five hours the night of March 12, after a 55-gallon barrel containing an acid (hydrobromic) began leaking from a Canadian based truck.

Romulus Emergency Management Director Margaret Leduc reported the accident occurred about 3:30 p.m. after the container slid forward and crashed into another when the driver braked for a red light at Merriman and Ecorse roads.

The truck was stopped by Romulus police after traveling less than a half block, Leduc said.

The Western Wayne County HAZ-MAT response team was called and began the process of identifying the chemical and then cleaning up the spill. A Flint clean-up company was called for assistance, Leduc said.

While there was no official evacuation of the buildings, Leduc said, some left their businesses because of the close down of Merriman from Ecorse to Smith roads.

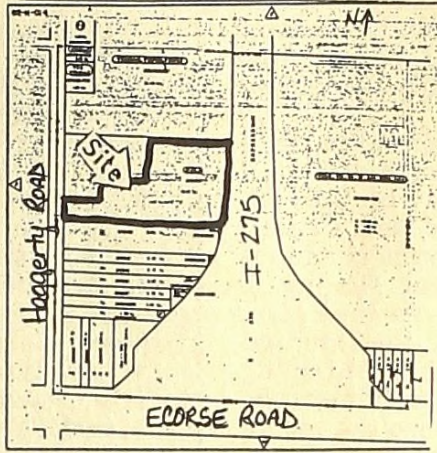
The road was cleaned up and reopened shortly after 9 o'clock Wednesday night.

The truck driver, Brian Allen, 26, of Strathroy, Ontario, Canada was given a summons for an unsecured load.

Romulus police are also pursuing the company, London Carthege International Limited of London, Ontario, for the cost of the clean-up, police said.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Charter Township of Van Buren Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing to consider a zoning change on the following described property:
A PARCEL OF LAND IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION #1. 13.51 ACRES. PARCEL NUMBER 83-003-99-0007-000, ALSO KNOWN AS 6855 HAGGERTY ROAD.
To amend the zoning ordinance No. 6/2/92 as amended by amending the zoning map as follows:
M-1 (LIGHT INDUSTRIAL) TO M-2 (GENERAL INDUSTRIAL)



A Public Hearing will be held in the Board of Trustees Room, 46425 Tyler Road, Charter Township of Van Buren, County of Wayne, Belleville, MI 48111 on Wednesday the 9th day of APRIL, 1997. Written comments will be accepted at the Department of Developmental Services until 5:00 p.m. on the Hearing date.

Cindy C. King CMC, Clerk
Charter Township of Van Buren

Publish: March 20, 1997
April 3, 1997

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, accommodations can be available with advance notice.

Subscribe To
Your Local
Newspaper
CALL 729-4000

Announcing our New

1 HOUR FILM PROCESSING

5.99

24 ct. Single Prints
Prices Effective
through April 13, 1997



Sale prices effective only at store listed in this advertisement. May not be combined with any other coupon offer. C-41 full frame color print 35 mm film only. Good for on-site processing only.

4" x 6" prints

Now, in the time it takes to shop, you can have your pictures developed...FAST. Fast savings. Fast pictures. At Rite Express One Hour Photo Lab you're assured that quality backed by the Kodak Colorwatch System which means we use only Kodak paper and chemicals.

1 Hour Processing Now Available At:

Rite Aid Pharmacy
Lakewood Shopping Center
2039 Rawsonville Road
Belleville, MI



Your Neighborhood Photo Center

CITY OF ROMULUS MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD MARCH 3, 1997

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro Tem, Randolph Gear

Present: Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth
Absent: None
Excused: None

Administrative Officials in Attendance:
William Oakley, Mayor
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
James Napiorkowski, GMFA, Treasurer

Motion by Romak, supported by Wadsworth to approve the agenda as presented.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-100

2A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to approve the minutes of the Romulus City Council held February 24, 1997 as presented.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-101

3A. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Romak to grant Special Use Approval to A. Rea Construction, Inc. for oil change and donut shop at 35427 Goddard Road, DP# 077 08 0047 001 in a C-3 Highway Service) zoned district, subject to the recommendations of the City Planner, City Engineer, Fire Department, submittal of a landscape maintenance plan.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-102

3B. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Romak to grant a No Fee Permit to the Moslem Shrine Temple to conduct its hospital fund drive on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 6-8, 1997 on street corners and in front of local business establishments.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-Collins. Motion Carried.
97-103

3C. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Collins to grant a No Fee Permit for the Knights of Columbus Kolbe Council of New Boston #6549 to conduct its Annual Tootsie Roll Drive to benefit retarded Children of Michigan March 21-23, 1997 to solicit within intersections of Romulus.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-104

4A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Crova to adopt a memorial resolution for the family of Frank Zimmermann.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-105

4B. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to send a communication to the Wayne County Board of Commissioners requesting that a plaque be placed on the dam located at Newburg Lake honoring the

memory of Frank Zimmermann.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-106

4C. Motion by Romak, supported by Wadsworth acknowledging the birth of Brandon Smith.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
4. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to accept the Chairperson's Report.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-107

5A. Motion by Romak, supported by Wadsworth to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and introduce an amendment to Chapter 2, Article V, Division 3 of the Romulus City Code of Ordinances entitled "Acquisition and Disposition of City-Owned Property" for the purposes of restating said division.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-108

5B. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and adopt a resolution supporting the Ecorse Creek Clean-Up.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-109

5C. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Crova to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and Community Development Director Richard Marsh and expend the CDBG Program Funds for fiscal year 1997/1998 as follows:

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Cory Elementary School* | \$16,500.00 |
| Romulus Civic League | 8,500.00 |
| Romulus Recreation Department | 8,500.00 |
| Community Development Department | 21,950.00 |
| Community Housing Rehabilitation | 58,550.00 |

*All Romulus children meeting the criteria may participate in the after school tutoring program.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-110

5D. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Raspberry to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and authorize the establishment of a quarterly City newsletter.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-112

5E1. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and introduce Budget Amendment 96/97-9 as follows:

| FUND/DEPT ACCOUNT NO | ACCOUNT NAME | CURRENT BUDGET | AMENDMENT | AMENDED BUDGET |
|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|----------------------|
| GENERAL FUND | | | | |
| 101-291.00-880.000 | Community Promotion | 100 | 5,000 | 5,100 |
| FUND BALANCE | | AVAILABLE | APPROPRIATE | REMAINING BALANCE |
| General Fund | | 326,951 | 5,000 | 321,951 |

To appropriate funds for community newsletter.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-112

5E2. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to grant authorization to let bids for the printing of the City newsletter.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-Crova. Motion Carried.
97-113

5F Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Collins to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and direct the City Attorney to draft the appropriate documents to authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into a permit fee agreement with Northwest Airlines for the Detroit Midfield Terminal Project for the proposed procedure for plan review, construction permitting and field inspection.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
5. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to accept the Mayor's Report.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-114

6A1. Motion by Crova, supported by Collins to approve the second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendment 96/97-8 introduced at the meeting of February 24, 1997.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-115

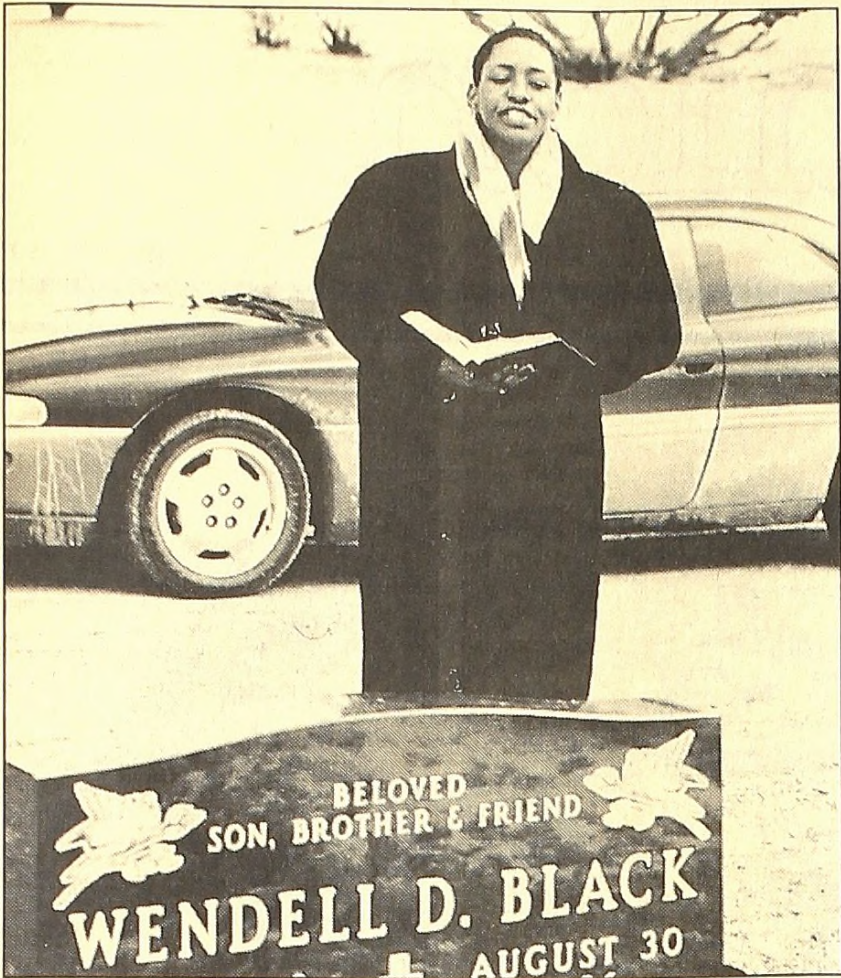
6A2. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to concur with the recommendation of the Planning Commission (PC-006-02-07) and introduce Zoning Amendment 1.150, an amendment to the Romulus Code of Ordinances, Appendix A, Article XI, regulating long term parking facilities in the RC Regional Center zoning district.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
97-116

6A3. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Crova to concur with the recommendation of the Planning Commission (PC-005-02-97) and introduce Zoning Amendment 1.151, an amendment to the Romulus Code of Ordinances, Appendix A, Article II, regulating height, area, size and location of wireless communication facilities and services.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
6A4. No action taken.
97-117

6A5. Motion by Romak, supported by Wadsworth to reject all bids on Bid 97-01 City Owned Property.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-Raspberry. Motion Carried.
11. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Prybyla to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Collins, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: March 20, 1997



Gloria Black organized a memorial for her son, Wendell, who was killed in August.MCN photo by Kimberly Woloskie

Police Reports

At 8:07 p.m. March 9 property was reported being stolen from the 7100 block of N. Wayne Road in Westland.

On the same day (March 9) 8:31 a.m. malicious destruction of property under \$100 was reported for a residential address near the 1800 block of Brandon; 8:32 a.m. emergency units were dispatched to an apartment complex on Lakview Blvd. after receiving a 911 call regarding a possible suicide attempt in progress. At 9:30 a.m. an alleged runaway situation was reported by telephone to the police dispatch from an address on the 1400 block of South Hubbard.

On March 10 at 3:29 p.m. larceny and a hit and run accident were reported at 35000 Warren Road (Westland Shopping Center). At 7 p.m. an attempted burglary was reported at a residential dwelling on the 33000 block of Bentley Court in Westland. At 8:45 p.m. a hit and run accident was reported on Hillcrest Street.

The Van Buren Township Public Safety Department answered a variety of calls March 10 through 16.

Three cases of domestic violence were investigated March 10. The first complaint came in at 1:45 a.m., from the Red Roof Inn. At 12:20 p.m., officers were called to the Southport Apartment complex on a domestic dispute. A domestic abuse complaint was lodged at 11:43 p.m. from a residence on Maurice Street.

The Van Buren Fire Department was kept busy March 13. At 2 p.m., Fire Station 1 responded to a fully involved vehicle fire on West Huron River Drive. Station 2 handled a field fire at the Beck Baseball Diamond at 4:39 p.m. At 7:48 p.m., Station 2 responded to a vehicle fire at Leggs Lounge. On the North Service Drive at 8:40 p.m., Fire Station 2 responded to an injury accident. Between 8:53 and 10:25 p.m., the station responded to six rollover accidents.

The fire department responded to a transformer explosion in the 44000 block of Harmony at 1:50 a.m. March 14. The department assisted the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department in putting out a house fire in the 7800 block of Huron River Drive at 2:13 a.m. Residents in a home in the 6500 block of Parkside got a rude awakening at 3:16 a.m., when a tree crashed through their roof. At 6:30 p.m., officers reported to Fairview Court at

Tutors needed

Mentors and tutors are greatly needed for Inkster children 11 to 16 years old in Youth Living Centers' Youth Assistance Program. Please call (313) 563-5005 for more information.

Unsolved murder haunts victim's mother

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
MCN Managing Editor

It was more than six months ago when 25-year-old Wendell Black was gunned down as he walked out of an Inkster lounge, but the killer remains free while Black's family continues to grieve.

On Saturday, his mother Gloria Black, other family members and friends gathered at Arbor Cemetery to dedicate a marker for Wendell's grave and pray that his killer will some day be brought to justice.

Around midnight on Aug. 29, the victim was shot in the arm and head as he left an Inkster Road lounge. At the time, police said there was no apparent motive, but that the victim was ambushed as he left the club.

"The case is no closer to being solved now as it was then," said his mother. "I think of my son lying there and nobody coming forward to see that the killer is arrested. I will fight the rest of my life to see that justice is done."

Black said that she gave Inkster police the name and number of a witness to the shooting, but, as of this date, police have not interviewed the witness.

She claims her other son fol-

"
The case is no closer to being solved now as it was then.
- Gloria Black

lowed a vehicle after the slaying to its destination and told police the color of the van and who the passengers inside were.

"Still, they claim that they don't have any eye witnesses.

"I gave the police three leads in mid-February, and, as yet, they haven't followed through," she said.

Black said Inkster police were also given the location of a building where drugs are being openly sold, and the site has not been raided and no arrests have been made.

"I lived in Inkster for many years before I moved away, and I know there are a lot of good people in Inkster. But, I wonder if the good people haven't gone underground and left the streets to the thugs," she said. "It seems to be open season in Inkster, because no one will do anything about the crime, and decent people can't walk the streets."

Black said her son was "no angel," but was headed in the right direction. She said her son had some problems at 17 and 18 when "he was wanting

to be a man."

"At that time, I left the city running, because I wanted to save my son. I stood by my son. I fought for my son, and I love my son," she said in a shaky voice.

"People have to start talking about the corruption that is running rampant in Inkster," she said.

"I doubt that the thugs who killed my son paid any taxes. I lived in Inkster for about 20 years, paid taxes and raised three children," she said.

"I miss him. I keep getting calls from his friends asking me what is being done, and I can't tell them anything," Black said.



Friends and family members gathered for the memorial service on Saturday.MCN photo by Kimberly Woloskie

Figures not provide for 911 phone costs

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Governmental leaders in Western Wayne communities expressed frustration last Friday that an Ameritech representative could not provide them with an accounting on 9-1-1 billing issues affecting their towns and cities.

Dan York, Ameritech service quality manager, took the brunt of the mayors' frustrations, when he admitted that he did not have immediate answers.

"Give me 30 days," he said, "and then I'll be able to tell you how soon Ameritech can have those figures available."

His comment ignited even more frustration from Mayors Robert Thomas (Westland), Edward Bivens (Inkster) and

Kenneth Warfield (Wayne).

York explained that such figures become tough to gather because of the explosion of area pagers, cellular phones etc.

Bivens complained that Ameritech's funding returned to Inkster has dropped in recent months with no explanation. He also expressed displeasure that as many as eight outdoor phones are available on one Inkster street corner. "Such availability aids only those involved in drug traffic," Bivens said.

TONNEAU COVERS • TOOLBOXES

W

WRIGHTMAN TRAILER & HITCH COMPANY

HITCH INSTALLATION

• Trucks • Vans

• Cars • RVs

Starting as low as

\$5200

Sales • Trailer Repairs • Truck Accessories

• NEW OWNER • NEW MANAGEMENT

1-800-964-6504

(313) 421-4600

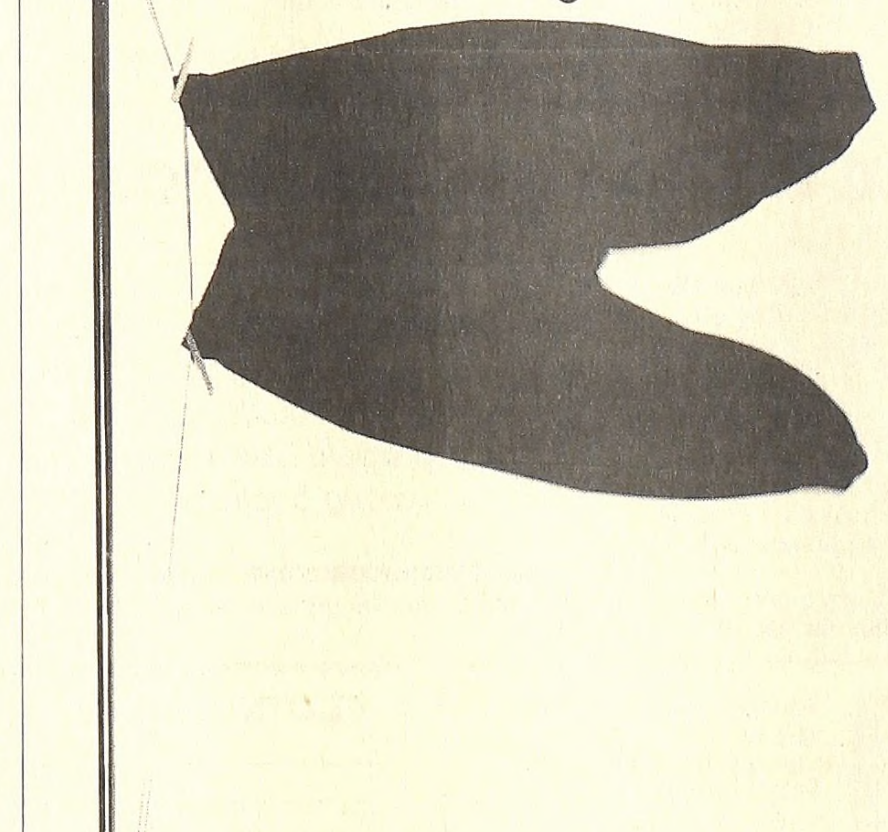
29040 JOY ROAD • 1 Block E. of Middlebelt

TOWING ACCESSORIES • BRAKE CONTROLS

TOE GUARDS • BEDLINERS • TRUCK ACCESSORIES

TOW CHAINS • LIGHTS • TIRES • RIMS • AXLES • U-BOLTS

Independence Day.

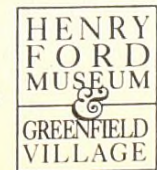


Meet the Women in America who pushed the boundaries

March 22 & 23

Come explore the lives of women in history who challenged their male-dominated society and pushed the boundaries of what they were allowed to do. Talk with an independent woman of 1894 whose bloomers gave her "bicycling freedom" but raised a lot of eyebrows! Join a group of women suffragists in a rally for their right to vote. And much, much more. You'll get to know the extraordinary women who changed the way Americans viewed the so-called "fairer" sex.

Call 313-271-1620 for more information.
Open 9am - 5pm daily.



At Greenfield Village, the fun never ends!

The Village Opens

April 1

It's that time of year again—when the extraordinary historic structures in the village open their doors for all to explore. Come enjoy a host of exciting activities held in the village this spring...and throughout the year!

Spring Farm Days

April 24-27

Join us as the village comes alive with spring activities! Pitch in with the farm chores. Help clear the fields, then help plant them! See sheep sheared and their wool spun into thread. Join in a spring cleaning relay race. Make soap out of lard. Greet the new lambs and more!

Civil War Remembrance

May 25 & 26

Hear the music. Visit the camps. Witness a patriotic rally. Re-live the life of a soldier and that of a civilian during the Civil War. Come celebrate Memorial Day by experiencing this critical period in our country's history.

A Full Year of Fun

Membership means unlimited admission for one full year. And that means you can enjoy new programs, attend exclusive events and more, anytime you wish! So join today.

Celebrating the Spirit of Innovation in America

Bond is gamble worth taking



Truth or dare
Ivan Helfman

Many elementary schools in the Plymouth-Canton district are overcrowded, so parents are demanding more classrooms and smaller class sizes. In a more perfect world, new rooms and/or schools could be quickly and cheaply built.

Unfortunately, the world is neither perfect nor simple. Especially when it comes to building new schools.

However, the Plymouth-Canton district came close to perfection in developing a process to allow willing community members to develop a consensus building plan and construction bond proposal.

The result: a \$79,795,000 construction bond proposal to build a new high school, a new elementary school, install a district-wide computer network, and remodel the existing schools.

The election will be held on Saturday, March 22. Notice I said Saturday. Credit goes to the school board for choosing a day that makes it more convenient for most working citizens to vote.

If nothing else, this democratic move ought to gain the board the public's trust.

The Saturday election will be the crowning touch on an open, democratic planning process. The entire community had been welcome at public forums. Every citizen has had an opportunity to be heard.

Of course, not everybody is happy with the resulting plan. But I am certain that the resulting proposal reflects a consensus of the people who cared enough to participate. On that basis, I recommend passage of the bond as the best acceptable proposal.

In addition, I offer a few thoughts and criticisms.

In my opinion, the part of the plan calling for a new \$10.8 million elementary school is necessary for the district to get a handle on the near-term overcrowding problem. Because parents refuse to accept more portable classrooms, there is no acceptable alternative to building the elementary school.

As for the rest of the bond — which devotes \$53.4 million to a new high school, \$7.9 million to remodeling existing schools, \$11 million to a district-wide computer network, and \$3 million to new school buses — I fear it wastes too much money on the high school and the computer network.

Worse, both the high school and network may create a need for new teachers and new technicians. This, in combination with teachers' future salary demands could create a financial crisis in 2000-2001 that could cause severe program cuts, unless enrollment increases. (The schools' operational budget funding can only increase by adding students. Schools receive funding on a per-pupil basis.)

The problem is that under the teachers' current two-year contract, they average yearly wage increases of 1.75 percent a year. Under the schools' five-year projection, teachers will be asked to hold their annual wage increases to 1.5 percent a year.

Because employee salaries and benefits constitute about 90 percent of the operating budget, this 1/4 percent difference could wipe out the district's general fund balance, or force cuts in the number of teachers, which would increase class sizes. Consequently, the bond is a roll of the dice.

But it's a gamble I reluctantly recommend because it's a worse gamble not to build a new elementary school.

Actions far outweigh words



Post scripts
Al Post

It seems hard to believe, but it's been a half century since this writer became excited when a boyhood hero Jackie Robinson broke the color line in Major League baseball.

Because of Robinson's arrival, I became a Brooklyn (N.Y.) Dodger fan. I only say so since I was then a native of Paterson, N.J. and a year later Larry Doby (of my home city) became the first black to break the American League racial barrier.

I was more impressed with Robinson than Doby because he had to bear the brunt of racism alone, making it much easier for Doby and hundreds of other blacks to make it big (\$) in major league baseball today.

Decades later another black, Curt Flood, paid the price of a shortened baseball career for demanding that major leaguers should be allowed free agency.

Flood never got to enjoy the heavy financial benefits he sought, but his actions now allow both white and black baseball stars to earn multi-millions of dollars.

Robinson and later Doby will be honored this year for their dramatic efforts in ridding a major sport of racism. I don't know if Flood will ever be honored by those he helped in future years.

A recent 10-13 minute series of comments by Romulus resident Alice Kesner before the Romulus City Council on racial comments she heard in a local restaurant brought a large flow of memories to my mind.

That series of memories was climaxed this past weekend when my family rented a video "A Family Thing". I must admit I never heard of the movie before, but I was attracted by the co-stars Robert Duvall and James Earl Jones.

Like Kesner I too was shocked to hear the N-word used openly by both co-stars. For those not familiar with both video stars, Duvall is white and Jones is black.

As the movie shows both stars turn out to be half-brothers and rather than divulge the outcome, I would urge readers to view the video themselves.

As a journalist I have always found inter-racial activities interesting and even at times life-threatening. Use of the N-word (by members of blacks or whites) I find offensive, but other racial actions can be even worse.

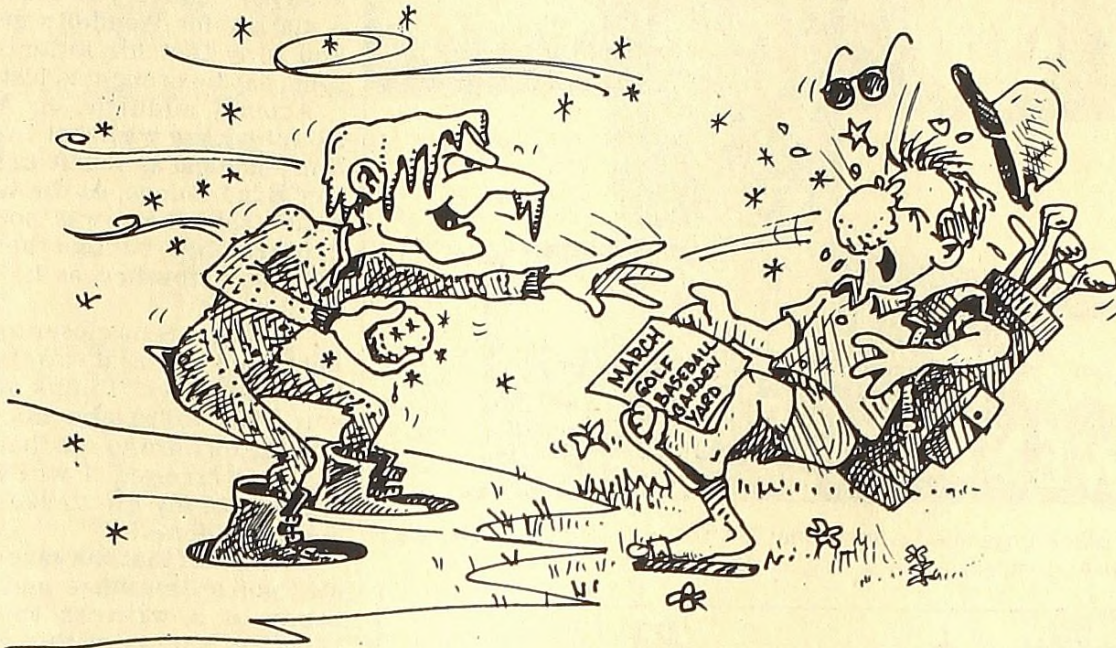
I was equally shocked in 1991 when I moved to Michigan during the height of the Gulf War actions and found residents referring to Arabic residents with a term that included the N-word prefixed by the word "sand."

Back in the 60's as a reporter, I found myself in the center of various inter-racial incidents. At one point in that decade, Paterson blacks had an ongoing series of confrontations with Paterson police, one that I helped relieve by getting local police to join me and a group of blacks in singing "We Shall Overcome" for a short period of time during one minor confrontation.

Another time a black detective helped me look for two black bandits, who only minutes before had pressed a sharp razor against my throat and robbed me of \$60 in cash.

Another incident occurred in which I was the only white (journalist) amidst 300 angry black mili-

See **ACTIONS**, page A-7



WINTERS LAST LAUGH...

Truth undermined

To the editor:

Academic freedom rights are being destroyed by universities allowing political correctness drones to dominate their student newspapers. This bizarre crusade against the truth is becoming a plague because faculty advisors have failed to teach aspiring editors to publish both sides of controversial issues.

Charles Fedewa, the opinions editor of the Torch, the student newspaper published by Ferris State University in Big Rapids, Michigan, epitomizes this swing toward absolutist control. He recently published an article aimed directly at the destruction of my professional reputation.

Although I have been a professor of political science for thirty years Charles wallows in a fantasy that he is the real expert on ex parte personal orders. He bases his claim to fame upon his job assisting a judge to review these orders; but such a wild presumption would allow the water boy to declare himself the coach of the basketball team.

In his editorial he advances so many misrepresentations of the facts; so that the truth is left behind in an avalanche of distortions, wild accusations, and unfounded statements. Without a doubt, he forgot to research the Michigan law on personal protection orders; because his article is loaded with a plethora of mistakes in direct contrast with the provisions of the law carefully researched by this professor in the law library.

Editors of this newspaper demonstrate their objectivity by publishing my article; and they would never allow their reporters to engage in infantile behavior intent upon destroying the reputation of a tax reformer, an objectivist, and a rugged individualist.

Moreover the editors of this

LETTERS

newspaper are strong defenders of the search for the truth which is demonstrated by publishing this defense of academic freedom! Why should the universities undermine the precious right of academic freedom when they are supposed to be the forums of public debate about controversial issues?

Larry D. Vandermolten, PH.D.

Humanity headed for disaster

To the editor:

By golly, Dolly is a clone! I've counted sheep in my life-time and all the sheep I saw looked like clones. But the DNA gambit has made cloning a reality!

Please, oh Lord, do not let the cloning of David Bonior, Julianne Malveaux, or Ted Kennedy become a reality. Should one suggest the human race could be headed for disaster?

Neil Goodbred
Livonia

New station supported

To the editor:

The residents of Wayne, will have an opportunity to vote in a Special Election on April 3, for the future of Public Safety in Wayne. I would like to offer the following to the residents of Wayne, I would encourage the residents to vote in favor of a new fire station. I am sorry to see the residents of Wayne have not taken the time to tour our present fire station to find out first hand the conditions of the station. If residents would take a close look at our present fire station they would find the follow-

ing. The present fire station is too small, out of date, in poor condition and in the wrong location, rebuilding this building is not going to correct the problems. If one would take the time to tour the present station I am sure they would agree it needs to be replaced.

1. The present station is used by 22 employees, with two toilets, one for the firefighters or one toilet for six fire fighters on duty, one toilet is for the secretaries.

2. One shower for 20 fire fighters to use.

3. The lobby area which is about 8 x 12 feet is used by the shift commander, the communications center, one secretary, file cabinets, a small desk for the firefighters to write reports and the area where the citizens are received.

4. The chief's office has room for the chief's desk and a table. It can seat four persons, with limited storage space.

5. The Fire Marshal office has a desk for the fire marshal, a desk for the second secretary, a storage area for blue prints and lockers for the six captains and lieutenants in an area of about 10 x 10 feet.

6. The day room which is about 14 feet by 18 feet has the copy machine, shelves for books, six chairs for the firefighters and a TV, this is the firefighters' living room, the training room and the room to eat meals.

7. The kitchen is about 6 feet by 10 feet, has a stove, a refrigerator, cupboards and a small table, it's too small for firefighters to sit down and eat meals at. Most fire stations have one refrigerator for each unit of firefighters.

8. The dorm where the fire fighters sleep, has one wall with lockers like you had in high school, this is where the fire fighters store their personnel items, seven beds and a desk in the corner for the union.

See **LETTERS**, page A-7

Cast your ballot on Saturday

Residents of the Plymouth-Canton School District are urged to cast their ballots on Saturday.

District officials selected Saturday as the voting date because they believe that it will give more people an opportunity to vote.

We urge Plymouth-Canton voters to become informed about the \$79.795 million bond issue, which is slated to erect, furnish and build a new high school and new elementary school plus provide more technology and to make an informed decision at the polls.

The decision is yours — don't stay home and let your neighbors make the decision for you. It may

The decision is yours — don't stay home and let your neighbors make the decision for you. It may not be the one you would have made in the voting booth.

not be the one you would have made in the voting booth.

FOOTNOTES: How do you know spring is here?



Jessica Andrew, 7

The leaves turn green and start to grow.



Stephanie Howard, 8

The temperature starts to feel warmer and the grass grows.



Amy Gonzalka, 10

It warms up!



Katy Gonzalka, 10

You see more birds like robins.



• The Belleville Enterprise
• The Canton Eagle
• The Inkster Ledger Star
• The Romulus Roman
• The Wayne Eagle
• The Westland Eagle

Excellence in Journalism awards

First place, University Press Club of Michigan - 1991, 1990, 1989, 1988, 1987, 1986

Second place, Michigan Press Association - 1994

Serving western Wayne County for more than 100 years



MIKE WILCOX - PUBLISHER

JOAN DYER-ZINNER
Managing Editor

RON SPIELMAN
Advertising Manager

RITA BEDELL
Classified Manager

SYBILLE MARR
Bookkeeper

A Member of
SPRING Detroit Suburban Press Ring

The six Michigan Community Newspapers, LLC are published Thursdays at 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, Mich. 48184. Central office are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Phone 729-4000 for general business; 729-3300 for classified advertising; 697-9191 for Belleville branch office.

No part of this publication may be reproduced in any form or by any means without the prior, written permission of the publisher or his authorized representative, excepting brief quotes attributed to this source.

Letters

Continued from page A-6

9. The apparatus bay was built to house four fire trucks, we house seven fire rigs, the fire trucks in front can drive out without moving others, that is three trucks, the rest you have to move one to get to the other, and we all know the rigs have to back into the station.

10. The work shop, turn out coat storage, hose storage, hose dryer are in an area about 8 x 10 feet

11. The basement has a small weight room, storage for old files and an area for crutches and canes that are loaned to the public. The Police Department has a storage room in the fire station basement!

The basement leaks, the windows of the building were put in when the building was built 45 years ago, the building is too small for the amount of people working there and for the services the fire department offers to Wayne, it's just too small. Rebuilding the present station will give the chief, fire marshall and secretary a new office, a training room and maybe an office for the shift commander. The firefighters who use and live in this building every day will not get any more room. This will not solve the over crowding problems and the problem of parking. Seven fire trucks in a garage for four fire trucks, to get to the new offices, firefighters will have to walk through the garage.

How many people in Wayne have to walk through their garage to get to the kitchen or living room of their home? If they did have to do this they would build on or buy a new home.

The location of the present station has nothing to do with the location of a new station. When the present station was built 45 years ago, we had less population, less buildings and the station was located to serve both the Village of Wayne and Nankin Township. If a new station is built in any city it has to be located in the proper position to serve all residents of the community, as response time if very important.

A new fire station in Wayne in 1997 will be the proper location 100 years from now, as Wayne is never going to grow in size. I am sorry the citizens of Wayne cannot understand response time and do not try to understand this subject. I hope it will never affect anyone in Wayne. I know it will. A central location of a fire station is good for the residents, business, public buildings, schools, factories, everyone in Wayne even if they are only driving through our community.

The people who are always complaining the south side of Wayne gets nothing, I am sorry they cannot understand a new fire station on the south side would be a very big boost for the south side.

Richard L. Story Sr.
Wayne

Tigers are expensive

To the editor:

The cost of maintaining a "tiger" by the Van Buren School District is costing the taxpayers \$100,000 a year.

Prior to the first proposal of the \$49 million bond issue, each school building with the approval of the principal and the faculty handled the volunteers and the Parent/Teacher Organization (PTO) at no additional cost to the taxpayer.

The principal and the teachers in each school know the need and requirements of their school. Why is a costly bureaucracy necessary to improve a system that worked well for past generations. If it works, don't fix it!

The present system initiated a few years ago, created a costly bureaucracy and removed direct control over the PTOs and the volunteers by each school. The new system is attempting to control the PTOs and the volunteers from the administration building, and is costing the taxpayers over \$100,000 a year.

Many well governed school districts, with high academic standards, in substantial financial positions, do not waste \$100,000 a year attempting to exert control over volunteers

and PTOs.

Any bureaucrat with an iota of imagination can foresee organizing the PTOs and volunteers, have them pay monthly dues and eventually striking for improved working conditions and benefits. Why waste over \$100,000 a year for volunteers and the PTOs when a few years ago their services were provided at no cost to the taxpayer, but were joint efforts to benefit the school and community. What are your priorities, children or creating jobs and increasing expenditures?

In Southeast Asia the people in a village set out a lamb so the tiger can feed on it. In Belleville the "tiger" does not consume lambs, but dollar bills, over \$100,000 a year.

What an appetite!
Diane Cunningham
Belleville

Bond issue supported

To the editor:

I am a member of the Citizen's Election Committee and a parent of two young children, and have made every effort to make sure I am very well informed about the issues surrounding the upcoming bond election on March 22, 1997. I have read several letters regarding this issue lately that contains information and opinions, that I feel are questionable. I feel it is important for me to review some of the facts.

One of the biggest arguments that I have read is that the planned new high school is a "38 percent overbuild". This statement does not take into account any possibility of future lowering of P-CEP class size. Isn't lowering class-size one of the major issues this District is facing? In addition, the community is concerned with the number of students at Canton and Salem and are not supportive of additional classroom space at this site. There is research that says there is a measurable drop-off in learning in buildings with more than 2100 students.

Another statement that was made was that it cost \$4.5 million to build the last two elementary schools-why \$9 million in 1997. In fact, the total cost to build the two schools was \$7 million (including construction, technology, furnishings, allocation of architectural and constructions fees, and bond issuance costs). Construction costs in the Detroit area increased 4.37 percent per year from 1991-95 and, in 1996 costs increased approximately 8 percent. Costs are expected to continue to increase at a high rate.

All citizens and staff were invited to participate in the planning stages of this proposal in a variety of ways including numerous notices in the newspapers, school newsletters, cable television, staff newsletters, and internal and external meeting announcements. The P- CEP staff were specifically invited to their own forum and the community forum.

Building the elementary such that it could be converted to a middle school is planning for the future. The District is making an effort not to overbuild. Current projections show the elementary population leveling off and decreasing slightly before the need for a middle school develops.

Even if one doesn't have children in schools, this bond proposal needs to be carefully considered. The quality of the schools are one of the top considerations of people moving into a new area. Property values decline if the schools decline in quality.

In my opinion, this bond issue is one of space, to educate our children; technology, to give them the best possible opportunities for the future; and equity among facilities. I encourage everyone to vote "yes" on March 22, 1997.

Suzanne Dershem

Diabetes alert slated

To the editor:

A silent killer is sneaking up on millions of American adults. Its devastating and permanent affects can be prevented if caught in time. This is not a screenplay for a new movie. It's diabetes and it's becoming too serious to ignore. Consider the following:

Half of the 16 million Amer-

icans who have diabetes don't know it!

It's a well-known fact that people who are overweight, underactive, or lacking exercise, and over 45 years are especially vulnerable to this serious disease.

Sally Spaid Norby
Deputy Executive Vice-President

Get killer off street

To the editor:

I am concerned about all the killings and drugs; but, I am mostly concerned because nothing have been done about the murderer of my good friend Fred A. Williams Sr. You must not let this murderer go free for lack of evidence; but, find enough as if it was someone who was murdered in your own family.

I can't tell you how long this unjust crime has lingered on for his family and friends. I know that it will be a dream come true for all of us to finally close this case and Mr. Fred A. Williams Sr. can be put to rest in peace. I urge you to do your job and get enough evidence to keep one more drug dealer and murderer off the streets.

Concerned V.F
of Inkster

Actions

Continued from page A-6

tants, who smashed a massive grocery store window and rocked a police car until the officers released a pair of violent suspects, who had just been arrested for throwing large bricks through the window.

Police cars were ordered to pull out to relieve the tension at the scene, as I milled among the frustrated youth.

One teen grabbed a knife from his belt, walked up to me and yelled "let's off this honkie." Luckily a black leader interceded and said "if you touch him, you'll have to answer to me!"

Minutes later a Jewish police sergeant drove to my side and cried "get inside, I just remembered you were the only white person still here."

I smiled and said "don't worry, I guess I even have friends in the black community. Christ was a Jew first. Who cares if he was black or white!"

I then walked safely back to Paterson Police Headquarters a quarter of a mile away.

Another decade later I was shocked when my mom wrote to me (I then lived in Illinois) to say she had donated memorial funds for my father to one of his best prayer partner's church.

As it turns out a memorial service was set up by the black Baptist Church in honor of my mother's \$1,000 gift. The only two things I remember that day are that my brother-in-law (a minister born and raised in North Carolina) gave the sermon and the fact that my dad's

black friend turned to me during the service and asked "do you know your dad's favorite hymn?"

My brother-in-law Rev. James Wilkins explained in his introduction that he never dreamed in his college days that he would ever be called upon to fill this role, that of a white pastor being the main speaker at a black church.

And my answer to my dad's good friend, I ashamedly must say was "no." He then informed me my father's favorite hymn was "How Great Thou Art."

That knowledge has since added tears to my eyes as I sing that beloved hymn. In my limited defense I must say I never asked my dad that question, because personally I have no favorite hymn (four or five would fit that bill for me).

I present this long monologue not to say "wow look at me...I'm not a racist." But to stress that I feel that our actions and attitudes in race relations far outweigh our verbage."

For as much as these memories jump from my consiousness, I also remember the post Korean War days when I saw my first black-oriental couple walk by me. I remember how ashamed I was years later when I remembered my initial teen-age thoughts were "couldn't she find a white soldier?"

None of us are perfect. Maybe that's why we mistakenly think at times that we have been socially or politically crucified for making inappropriate words publicly!

It's a good thing we still have time to pop open our Bibles before Good Friday this year and learn the real meaning of the crucifixion.

If you want to continue this dialogue, I'll see you on Goddard road in Romulus at noon on Good Friday. See you at the cross.

DON'T FORGET TO PICK UP YOUR
EYEWITNESS
NEWSPAPER THIS WEEKEND!

Same Day or
Next Weekday
Appointments



When you're sick or hurt, you want to see a doctor as soon as possible. Oakwood Healthcare System provides you with the care you need that same day or next weekday. For an appointment with a family practitioner, internal medicine doctor, pediatrician or a growing list of medical services, call 1-800-543-WELL. Based on your specific needs, you will be provided with a list of two or three Oakwood doctors. Whenever possible, we'll be happy to connect you directly to a doctor's office near you. Discover care that puts you first.

Oakwood Health Line

1-800-543-WELL

Monday - Friday
Saturday
Sunday

7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.



Oakwood
Healthcare System

Accent On Entertainment

M I C H I G A N C O M M U N I T Y N E W S P A P E R S

'97 Entertainment Happenings

What's hot, what's not?

Today is the first day of spring! With temperatures up and down, it will be awhile before true spring-weather arrives. Be glad that the worst ravages of winter are over.

What are the sure signs of spring? Re-runs begin on television, Dairy Queens and ice cream shops open, gardeners go shopping for bulbs and plants, golfers start practicing their swings, motorcyclists take out their bikes, convertible owners put their tops down, umbrellas replace scarves and boots as "fashion wear," and kids turn in their sleds and skates for baseballs and bats.

What are the sure signs that spring really isn't here yet? Periodic cold snaps, or in other words, typical Michigan weather.

Under the Big Top: The Shrine Circus at the State Fair Coliseum through March 23.

Outdoor fun: It's a good time to visit the Metroparks and observe the first signs of spring first-hand. Take the family to the program, Spring Has Sprung, at 2 p.m. March 23 and Riverbank Ramble at 2 p.m. April 6 at Lake Erie Metropark. Also, attend the comet watch on April 5 and 6 plus Crack O'Dawn Coffee Club at 7 a.m. April 5. The Detroit Zoo, opens at 10 a.m. daily and features an assortment of lions, king penguins, polar bears, tigers, bald eagles and gorillas - all ready to greet the spring!

At the movies: *Jungle to Jungle* and the *Star Trek* trilogy are the best bets for family entertainment, and *Donnie Brasco* and *City of Industry* are films for the action-drama fans. *Rosewood* is a good choice for adult film-goers. Romantics may want to view *Love Jones*.

What's hot in movie rentals? Phenomenon, The Fan and A Time to Kill. If they're all checked out, look for a great, but obscure film, *Mississippi Masala* starring Denzel Washington.

What's hot on television? The news that Bryant Gumbel will star in a prime-time news magazine show in the fall.

What's the bad news in television? Re-runs and program changes that interrupt our usual viewing pattern.

On stage: Award-winning production of *Show Boat*, at the Masonic Temple, Detroit; *The Colored Museum* at the Eastern Michigan University Theatre through March 22; *Blue Suede Shoes*, music of Elvis Presley, April. 15 to 20 at the Detroit Opera House;

What's hot in travel? It's still cruise season, with trips to Florida and Las Vegas popular.

What's the good news around town? Michigan Community Newspapers will announce an exciting contest at the end of March - one that could make someone in Western Wayne County very wealthy!

What's the scariest news? Cloning! Can you image the cloning of Howard Stern, Dennis Rodman or Michael Jackson - folks that some of us can't wait to have fade out of sight. You can be sure that when cloning is done, it won't be Mother Theresa-types that will be cloned.

Job Fair offers training, employment aid

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
MCN Managing Editor

At 10 a.m. last Thursday, the Downriver Community Conference (DCC) sponsored a one-day Job Fair opened at Metro Place Center in Wayne, and at 10:15 a.m. the first offer of employment was made.

"That's how we knew the Job Fair was going to be successful," said Job Placement Coordinator Lisa Kurtzhals. "People who didn't get to the Job Fair can still avail themselves to our services. The DCC does training and re-training under the Job Training Partnership Act. We have a 30-station computer lab here, and we're ready to help people enter the job market."

"We hope this event will draw attention to our site and bring more people here who need help in obtaining jobs," said Kurtzhals.

"We provide the keys that unlock the doors to job entry," said a DCC staff member.

Wayne Mayor Kenneth Warfield visited the site, and was pleased with the response to the Job Fair.

"The DCC has a good program that is already successful. We work well together-- Western Wayne and Downriver."
- Kenneth Warfield

"This is a good resource for Wayne," said Warfield.

When questioned why the Southgate-based agency is bringing its program to Western Wayne County, Warfield said, "The DCC has a good program, and there is no need to duplicate a program that is already successful. We work well together - Western Wayne and Downriver."

In the afternoon, buses brought some job-seekers from the Southgate site to Wayne.

Representatives from DCC, Michigan Rehabilitation Services, the Michigan Employment Security Agency and 24 firms were on hand to distribute information, take applications and hire workers.

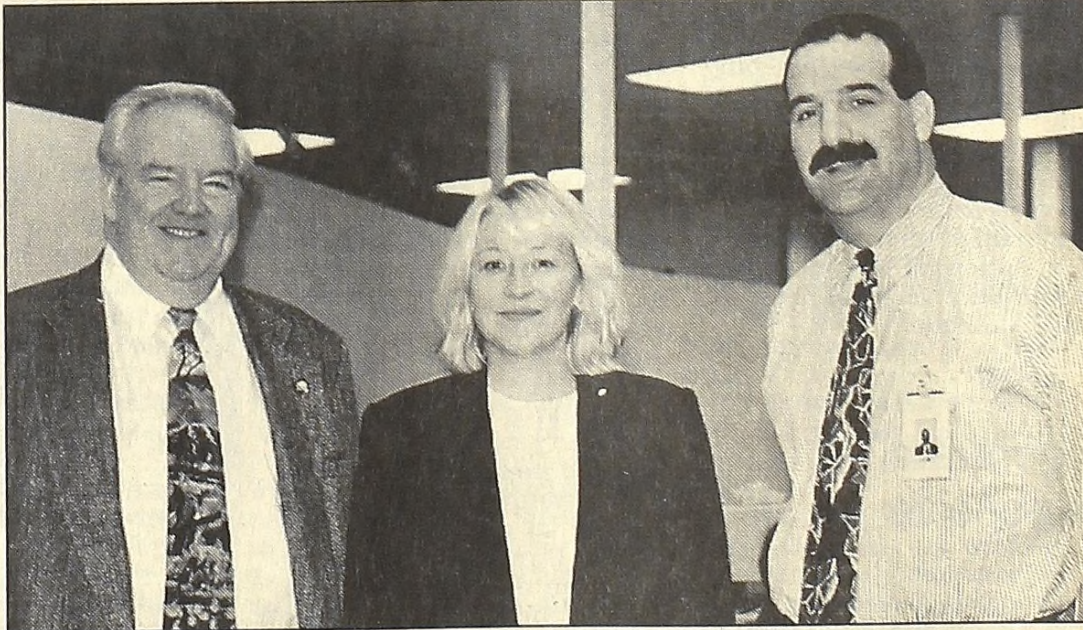
Among the participating firms were Accountants Connection, Accountants on Call, Accountemps, Advo, Aerotek Data Services Group, CDP Imaging Systems, Family & Neighborhood Services, Guardian Alarm, Guardian Security, Hollingsworth Logistics, Little Caesar's, Med Max Superstores, Miesel Sysco, Norrell Technical Service, Office Team, O.J. Transport, Olsten Temporary Services, On Site, Pepsi, Peterson Windows, R.M.F., Snelling & Snelling, 3 PM McKesson and Total Distributions.

Kevin Johnson of Inkster attended the Job Fair with the hope of landing a factory, automotive or collision shop job, and Jennifer Wilder of Wayne



Terese Daniel and Catina Kristofik of Kelly Services (top photo) talk to prospective employees Sally Mackenzie of Westland and Kimberly Copeland of Dearborn Heights. Kevin Johnson of Inkster (center left) checks out his application form with Leetha Mattox of DDC, while Jennifer Wilder (center right) completes her application. Wayne Mayor Kenneth Warfield, DCC Job Placement Coordinator Lisa Kurtzhals and Jim Perry, DCC assistant executive director, discuss future job opportunities (right) for Western Wayne County.

MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner



filled out an application for an alarm dispatcher position.

Terese Daniel of Kelly Services had the unique distinction of being a former DCC client herself, training at the

DCC's Southgate facility before being hired by Kelly Services.

"I've been there, so I can understand people who are trying to enter or re-enter the job market," said Daniel. "Some of

those who apply for temporary positions are women who want to work a couple of days a week and spend the remainder of the time with their children. Others see it as a way to

gain experience which could lead to a full-time job. In fact, I think most of the people looking for temporary work have a future goal of full-time employment."

'Elvis' and 'Neil' appear together

On April 19, Sherman Arnold will present his "Tribute to Elvis," and C.J. will perform a musical salute to Neil Diamond at the Country Western Jamboree sponsored by the Metro Wayne Democratic Club.

Sherman has a large following of fans in the area, many of whom have followed his career since he began his Elvis tribute more than two decades ago. He titles his show, "A Tribute to Elvis," noting that he does not try to be Elvis, but rather to present the music of the late King of Rock and Roll.

Fans can readily identify the performer with Elvis when they view Arnold's thick, dark hair and sideburns, his glitzy costumes and, most of all, hear him sing the songs which were

made famous by "the King." Arnold believes Presley's impact on the music scene was tremendous. He noted that Buddy Holly expressed it best when he said, "If it was not for Elvis, none of us would have made it."

Arnold's Interstate Band will provide music for the show.

C.J., who grew up in Wayne and now resides in Inkster, has performed his Neil Diamond songs in many local shows, political events and fund raisers. His imitation of Diamond is so convincing that many people in the audiences erroneously believe that he is lip-synching to Diamond's recordings.

"Audiences seem to have a good time listening to his (Diamond's) music. They relax and

enjoy it," C.J. said in a previous interview. "Ever since I was a little boy in Wayne, I listened to Neil Diamond. His lyrics express a lot of things that I can relate to."

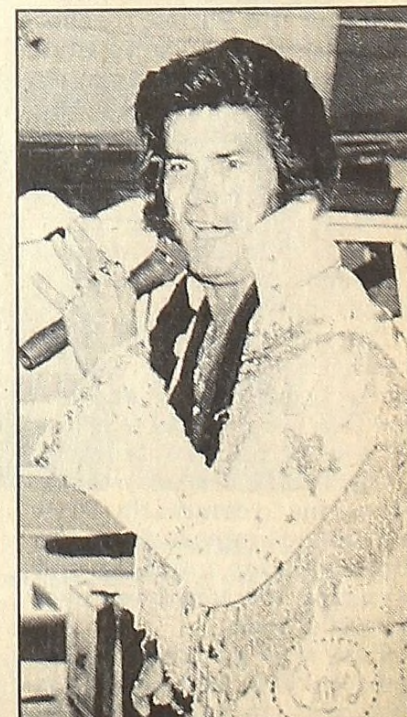
He plans to include many of the popular songs from the 1960s and '70s.

The dinner dance event will be staged at the UAW Local Hall 735, 48055 Michigan Avenue, Canton. Cocktails are served at 6 p.m., with dinner at 7:30 p.m. Dancing will follow the show until 1 a.m.

Tickets are available at \$20 per person or \$35 per couple at Al's Friendly Market in Wayne or by calling Cliff or Marie Johnson at 729-8681, Cathy Tackett at 728-9739, Goldie Warfield at 595-4747 or Jeanette Story at 595-1361.



C.J. Johnson sings Neil Diamond songs.



Sherman Arnold presents his 'Tribute to Elvis.'



March 20, 1997

Page B-1

Wayne Memorial storms into state quarterfinals

Can they go all the way?

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Neither the worst ice storm to hit this area in over a quarter of a century... Or Temperance-Bedford. Nor Ann Arbor Huron... Could stop Wayne from its destiny. With embarrassing victories over would-be opponents Temperance-Bedford and Ann Arbor Huron at the Class A regional championships at a browned-out Jackson High last week, Wayne stormed into the state quarterfinals this week at Lansing Everett.

Thousands of Jackson and Wayne County residents lost power when a late winter ice storm hit southeastern Michigan Thursday night. Although the storm created hazardous road conditions, the inclement weather didn't stop or postpone regional tournament games involving local teams.

With the storm and the regional championship behind them, Wayne Memorial faces an equally formidable opponent in the form of East Lansing.

East Lansing, a team with an impressive 20-3 record, hovers between Wayne and the state semis.

And Lansing, with a front line that is held together by 6-8 Onome Scott-Emuakor and 6-5 Raffael Seeman, who look to senior guard Tom Jackson to get them the ball, appears to be formidable.

"They are good," stressed Henry, before mobilizing his troops for warfare in Lansing.

"They have size, talent, ability - everything, and, yes, they too are goal-oriented. They would like to play in Breslin, too. We can expect a dogfight from them, and anybody else we meet from herein."

Henry, whose team blew away Temperance-Bedford 75-36 in the semifinal round and humiliated Ann Arbor Huron, 66-39, in the regional championship games at Jackson, are making their third consecutive appearance in the state quarterfinals.

"They have size, talent, ability - everything, and, yes, they too are goal-oriented."

- Chuck Henry

Wayne knows what is needed to get the job done, according to their coach.

"Although we are playing them (East Lansing) in their back yard, our kids have been there before. They have the resolve to reach the state finals this year."

Wayne looked unbeatable at the Jackson regionals. They were. Their defense held Huron's River Rats to two points in the first period, and an incredible two baskets for the entire first half in the lopsided 66-39 victory.

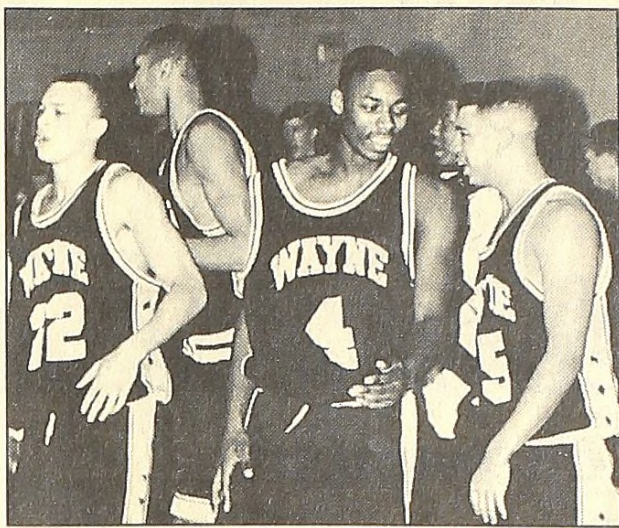
Up 19-2 after one period, Wayne could have gone home then. The River Rats just weren't in a playing mood. Wayne led 30-9 at the intermission as Henry shuffled his personnel in and out of the game to ease the embarrassment.

Wayne's Lorenzo Guess scored a game high 25 points and twin brother, Lavell, tallied 16 in the rout and team's 25th victory of the season. "This was a tremendous defensive effort," Henry said. "I admit I was surprised at the way we got the job done. But, in retrospect, these kids know what they want. And they are out to get it."

Before we forget, Brian Williams also scored nine for the champs against the River Rats.

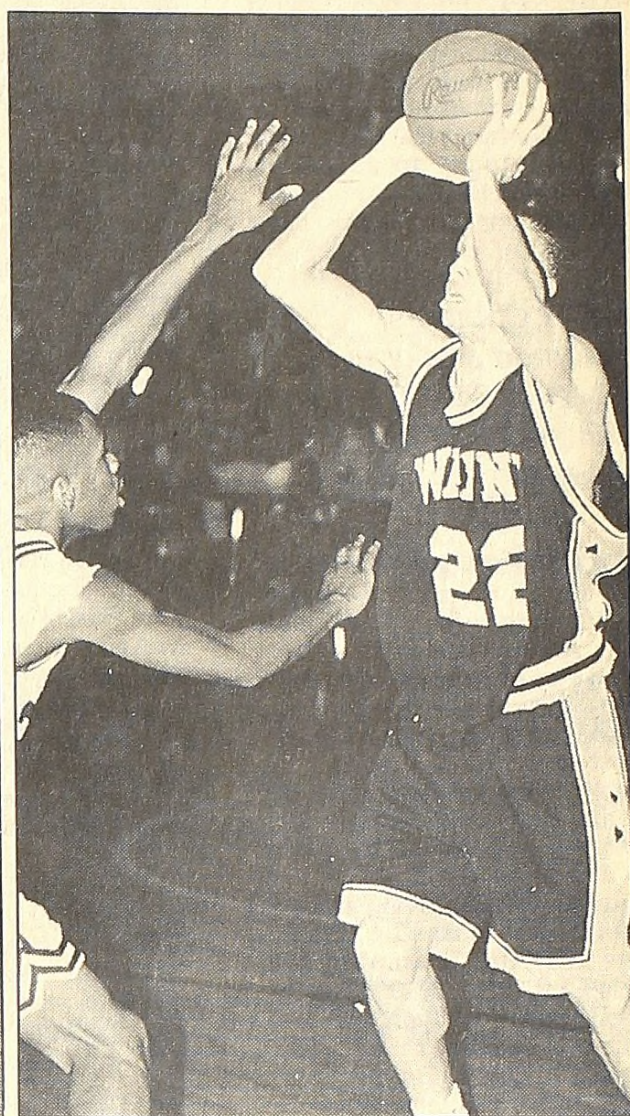
In the first round, Wayne stunned a physical Temperance team that apparently didn't know what hit them. The contest also turned into one of those "no-contest" kind of matches in the first half as Wayne built up a 20-9 lead after one, increased the margin to 38-17 at the half and was never seriously threatened in the second half.

See **Wayne**, page B-2



With senior captain Lorenzo Guess (22) in the driver's seat, Wayne Memorial hopes to elude the pitfalls they encountered during the past two years in their drive for their first Class A state title. They are on the road, again. In Jackson this past weekend, Wayne rolled past Temperance-Bedford and Ann Arbor Huron and continues to speed to Lansing Everett where Tuesday night they clashed with East Lansing in East's back yard. The winner of that game will advance to Friday's semifinals, taking on the winner of the Ionia quarterfinals at 2:50 p.m. in the Breslin Student Event Center located on the campus of Michigan State University in East Lansing. The state championship will be decided 4 p.m. Saturday (March 22) at Breslin.

Photo by Aaron Ortiz



End of the road for Rocks

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Detroit Central was ripe for picking.

Unfortunately, Plymouth-Salem wasn't ready to cash in on the opportunity.

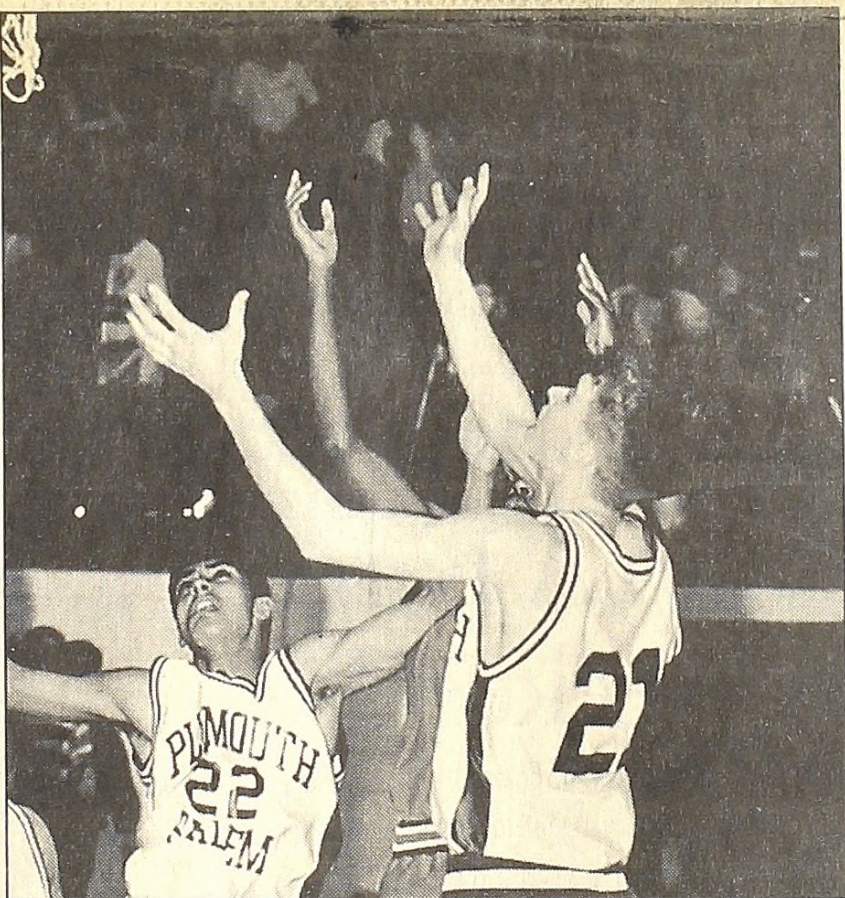
"We had our chances," said Salem's veteran coach Bob Brodie, after his Rocks suffered a season-ending, playoff-ousting 56-48 loss at the hands of the DPS's "Cinderella Team".

"We hit an awful snag in that fourth quarter and allowed them to take us out of our game plan. That was the fatal blow."

Salem went down fighting before a standing room only crowd that gathered Tuesday for the first-round of the Class A regional basketball playoffs at Southfield Lathrup High School.

Central, a team not given a chance to go anywhere in the post season after a so-so regular season, polished off Bloomfield Hills to advance to the state quarterfinals at Ferndale.

Central's unheralded senior guard, Dwight Smith, dis-



Plymouth-Salem reached the end of the road at Southfield-Lathrup where the Rocks fell to Detroit Central in the semifinal round of the regional playoffs. Though disappointed by the season-ending loss, coach Bob Brodie pointed out that his team accomplished four of its five goals established this year and, with such players as Bhavin Patel (22) and Jeff McKian (21) returning next year, Salem should have another contender. The Rocks however will lose Nate Gray (50) and Andy Powell to graduation. Photo by Aaron Ortiz.

rupted the Rocks' defensive network early. Smith, a non-factor in the district phase of the playoffs, suddenly came alive at the regionals, drilled

four three-pointers in the first half to stake the regional champs to leads of 19-9 and

See **Salem**, page B-2

Batter's up

Romulus is seeking softball clubs

Romulus recreation officials announced this week that they are accepting registration for the summer softball program.

Registration for the seven-division league will continue until April 4 after which managerial and coaches' meetings will be conducted to set ground rules for the upcoming season.

Dates for those meetings have not been announced.

Leagues will operate Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Sunday. Planned is an eight-team league for

Monday/Wednesday, a Men's White Division. There is a \$575 registration fee; Monday/Wednesday Women's White Division, eight teams which will cost \$450 for teams to get in on the action.

There is also a Tuesday Women's Blue Division. Eight teams are expected to take to the field in this league. Registration is \$350.

The recreation department also has planned to field an eight-team, Thursday Men's Blue Division (\$475); Friday Men's Division (Field A), \$475; Friday Men's Blue Division

(Field B), \$475; and a Sunday Men's Doubleheaders White Division (10 teams). Registration is \$500.

Romulus officials note that they classify teams in the Red Division as those whose spectrum of play fall in Class B and Class C range; White Division (Class C and D) and Blue Division (Class D or below).

Team representatives and managers who have any questions are urged to contact Romulus softball league supervisor, Keith Brothers, at 942-6852 for further information.

Hoop tourney

Junior teams invited to shoot for titles

This is the final call for coaches who have junior basketball teams that would like to see some post-season action.

The North American Youth Basketball Tournament officials announced this week that they still have several remaining openings for their inaugural Spring Youth Basketball Tournament.

NAYB will host one of its 13

planned tournaments beginning on May 9, and continuing for two days after that (May 10-11) Schoolcraft College in Livonia. There will be other sites announced later.

Officials say that there will be 10 different age brackets of competition. They include 5th-6th grade boys; 5th-6th-grade girls; 7th grade boys and girls; 8th grade boys and girls;

9th-10 boys and girls; 11-12th grade boys and girls.

There is an \$80 entry fee which will guarantee that each team will play a minimum of two games. The entry deadline is April 18. For further information, including an entry blank, contact the NAYB national offices by telephoning 1-800-787-32655.

Portrait of a softball star

Canton's Holmes continues to sparkle on the mound

She's smart. A very talented young athlete. And, at 21, she also is an All-American.

She's Kelly Holmes, who possesses that girl who you wished lived next door kind of looks.

She is also a softball star. Holmes will be back on the mound this spring for the Wolverines, mixing up those fastballs and curves for the University of Michigan, hoping to lead the defending Big 10 champions to another title year and maybe a national championship.

The 1993 valedictorian at Plymouth-Canton High School, who guided the Chiefs to the top of the state standings and won All-state recognition on the way has the look and smile of a champ.

But that smile can be enigmatic, as concealing as the one looking at you from the portrait of Mona Lisa.

Pick up a bat. Move to the batter's box. And you will see what we mean. See if you can figure out what she's going to throw.

Few in high school suc-

ceeded.

And Kelly Holmes continues to baffle them in college.

She can release a pitch as fast as a mongoose going for the kill of his deadliest foe - the cobra.

And just ask the 200 batters who have struck out against her in the three seasons in college, they will tell you how deceptive Holmes can be.

At Canton, Kelly posted a phenomenal 73-12 overall record that included 958 strikeouts. She also boasted

an incredible 15 - yes - 15 no-hitters that left her with a 0.39 ERA.

It is no wonder that Kelly Holmes, as a high school player, was selected to everyone's Dream Team, including *The Associated Newspapers*, the predecessor to the *Michigan Community Newspapers*.

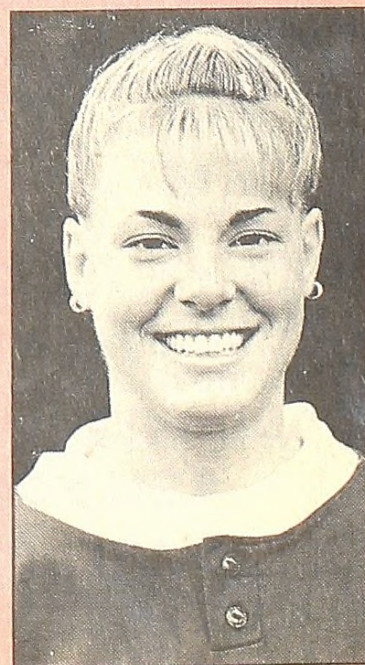
But why Michigan and not some other college national softball powerhouse? Like Arizona, considered the home of the best women and men's softball and baseball talent?

"It's (Michigan) one of the best in the nation for athletics and academics," says Holmes. And it didn't hurt that the University of Michigan's Business School (Holmes is a business major) is considered No. 1 in the country.

Holmes has remained focus on goals for as long as she can remember. And she loves sports because it runs in the family.

Can she surpass last year's success when she compiled a 16-7 won-lost re-

See **Kelly**, page B-2



Kelly Holmes

Guzzo is link to Alabama's success

A former Canton Township hockey standout is a key link in the University of Alabama's success chain this season.

All-American center Tony Guzzo has helped UAH post another outstanding season, and his team will again have an opportunity to defend its national title.

The Chargers earned a shot at a repeat with an impressive 22-6 season record.

The Chargers earned a shot at a repeat with an impressive 22-6 season record. They were ranked as high as No. 2 in the nation going into last weekend's two-game tournament hosted by the top-ranked Bemidji Minnesota Beavers - the team that UAH defeated a year ago for the national title.

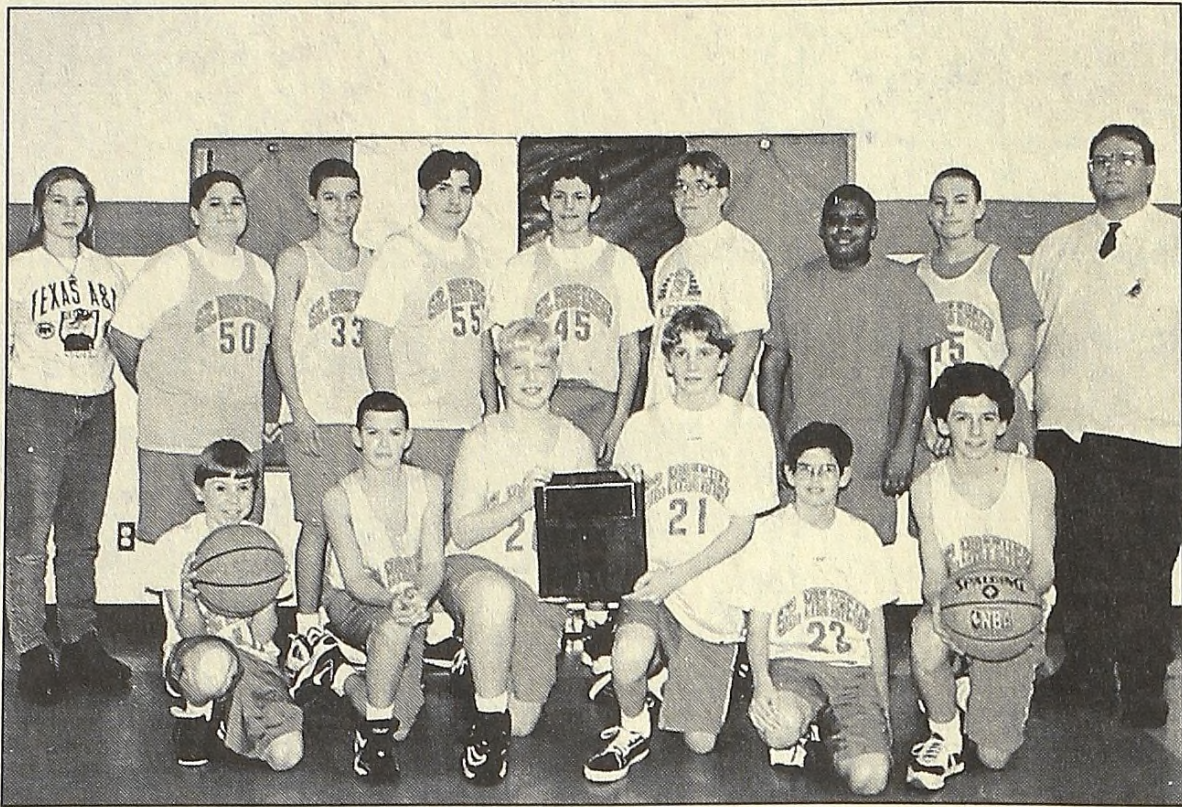
It will be the third time in four years that UAH and Bemidji have clashed to decide the national championship. UAH swept the 1996 series, while Bemidji won the 1994 championship in a "mini-game" overtime. Both those series were played on UAH's home ice.

Guzzo was an honorable mention All-American selection last season. A senior business administration major, he graduated cum laude from high school where he also starred in track. He played in the North American Junior "A" League where he also was an all-star selection.

Guzzo is UAH's career assists and point-leader, with 118 assists and 179 points in four seasons. His 61 goals place him third on UAH's all-time career list.

Guzzo leads the Chargers with 32 assists this season. He is tied for first with 48 points, and is third on the team in goals with 16. While he has played in all 26 games, he has been whistled for only one penalty this season.

Tony is the son of Frank and Josephine Guzzo of Canton Township.



Hoop champions

Westland's St. Matthew Lutheran's seventh and eighth grade basketball team had the right combination of coaches and players to capture the Western Lutheran Athletic League Division II tournament title. The champs lineup included Randy Knowles (kneeling, from left), Jeff Brown, Matt Schuler, David Kostelnik, Mike Raschke and Phillip Rousseau; in the second row are assistant coach Sarah Burkee, John Clark, Matt Hall, Michael Bordach, Jon Kissinger, Brian Corsun, Milton Ervin, Jonathan Burkee and head coach Richard Schumacher. St. Matthew turned back St. Paul's of Farmington, 34-28, and defeated Guardian of Dearborn in a 30-28 thriller to claim the coveted tourney title. Special MCN photo by Carolyn Shough

Salem

Continued from page B-1

35-26 for the first two periods.

But Salem recovered, reappeared on the court with some resolve.

The Rocks spread out and seven separate players scored to lead the Western Lakes Conference Lakes Division co-champs back in the game.

Mike Korduba, Andres Lopez and Andy Power each tossed in a basket in the pivotal third period as Salem outscored Central 15-5 to grab a precarious 41-40 lead. Salem had Central on the ropes.

"But we couldn't match their (Central's) speed and quickness in the stretch," Brodie said. "And we missed a

couple of percentage shots which made a big difference."

Central rallied in the fourth as Salem scored a measly seven points in the final eight minutes of their season to Central's 16. It was the difference.

It also didn't help that Salem only managed to capitalize on only four of eight free throws. But Central also didn't look good at the charity stripe where they canned five of 16 chances.

Smith, along with Donte Darling and Antonio Gates, shared the game's individual scoring honors. The trio had 14 each.

Lopez and Korduba were the only two Salem players to break into two figures. Each sank 10.

With an overall 18-5 season, Brodie said that his team managed to accomplish at least four of their five goals estab-

lished at the beginning of the year.

"We wanted to win at least 18 - we did - to beat Canton - we did - win our division - we shared the title. We also wanted to win a district, and that goal also was reached."

"However, where we fell short was in the conference. We felt we could have won the overall title, unfortunately we fell short there."

Salem will only lose two players - seniors Gray and Lopez - to graduation, and will retain 10 players, including Tony Jancevski (6-8) and Ben Szczerpanski (6-8) along with All-Conference nominees Andy Power returning to the lineup for the 1997-98 campaign.

With that kind of experienced nucleus, Salem should be a force to contend with a year from now.

Wayne

Continued from page B-1

Lorenzo scored 12 of his game-high 28 points in the second stanza, sounding the knell for the Mules.

Unlike the finals, Wayne's scoring machine didn't let up in the second half against Temperance. The Zebras outscored their rivals 25-7

and led 63-24 heading into the fourth period.

Lavelle joined his brother in the double-digit scoring column with 12. Teammates Richard Rashad, who did an excellent job on the boards at both ends of the court, collected seven rebounds and eight points. Rodney Hurst also added eight points.

Wayne's Karl Callaway played an exceptional all-around game, according to coach Henry.

Wayne took a 25-1 overall record into Tuesday night's quarterfinals.

Hoop coaches pick best of Western Lakes

Plymouth-Canton, which snatched the coveted Western Lakes Conference playoff hoop title away from regular season champ, Walled Lake Central, and Plymouth-Salem, a co-owner with Central of the Lakes Division title, placed one player each in the lineup of the Western Lakes Activities Association All-Conference Boys' Basketball Team.

The annual "dream team" is selected by the 12 coaches affiliated with the conference.

Salem (8-3) emerged from conference competition tied overall for second with Farmington Harrison. The Rocks went on to win a Class A district crown at the Northville High district and are represented on the all-conference team by junior Andy Power.

Canton combined an in-your-face-defense with a methodical offense, to come back from a 7-4 season and upset playoff favorite, Walled Lake Central, in the championship game. The Chiefs placed senior Nick Hurley in the all-conference backcourt.

Locally, only Rob Johnson, whose athletic talents also helped Canton to be competitive in football, was named to

the All-Western Team.

In the meantime, Westland John Glenn, shut out for the first time in recent memory of placing one of its own on the all-conference team, did manage to place versatile athlete David Jarrett on the All-Lakes squad.

Jarrett also is noted for his football skills. He was an everybody's All-Stater.

Salem also is represented on the All-Lakes Team by Andres Lopez, whose heroics at Northville helped the Rocks capture a Class A District championship.

Jarrett and Lopez are joined on the All-Lakes team by Cory Heitsch, the lone sophomore to be named to any of the three teams.

Seven players from the three local affiliates also were listed for Honorable Mention recognition. Honored are: John Glenn's Jon Becher, Justin Berent and Brad Wilde; from Plymouth-Salem, Nate Gray and Jeff McKian; and from Plymouth-Canton, Matt Ammons and Donte Scott.

Kelly

Continued from page B-1

cord that included such honors as earning Big Ten Pitcher of the Week accolades, after she strung together two shutouts, 13 strikeouts in the Tennessee Tournament of Champions? Maybe.

After all, the support staff is also back. The Wolverines are a strong favorite to retain their Big 10 title and, as the season opens, they are also ranked fifth in the nation behind Arizona, UCLA, Fresno State and Washington.

But they are only one notch above Iowa, a threat to their Big 10 dynasty.

Holmes, who has her superstitions - she will jump over the foul line when running to the pitching circle - won't dwell in the future. Predictions are not for her.

She talks, like her famous

dad, coach Bob Holmes, of Livonia Franklin fame, of "playing them one at a time."

Any heroes, other than her dad?


Of course. Like Tiger Woods, the young golfer that Bob Hope introduced to the world at the age of four when Tiger appeared on his TV show with a golf club twice his size, then proceeded to show the audience and TV world why some day, some year he will golf his way to prominence.

The day and the year for Tiger Woods is now.

Holmes, a senior who would some day like to make the U.S. Olympic squad, also has a message for those aspiring young high school athletes who are about to begin or have begun their careers.

"Keep practicing," she urges. "Above all, keep a positive attitude. Even when things aren't going well, have confidence that it will get better."

THE PERFECT RENTAL PACKAGE - RIGHT IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD.



OVER 70 LOCATIONS IN THE METRO DETROIT AREA TO SERVE YOU.
CALL 1-800-RENT-A-CAR
TO BE CONNECTED TO THE LOCATION NEAREST YOU.

Unwrap A Bargain This Weekend.

Giving you a terrific package is what Enterprise does best - especially on weekends. Our wrapped car means you get low rates, and even a free ride to the rental office. So wherever your weekend plans take you, call Enterprise. And rent the car that'll get you there.



Pick Enterprise. We'll pick you up.

3-DAY WEEKEND SPECIAL



\$9.99
A DAY

Applies to a midsize or smaller car rented from Friday through Monday for a three-day total of \$29.97, with 100 free miles per day included. Ask about discounted rates on other car classes and increased mileage packages. Taxes, excess mileage fees and optional damage waiver at \$11.99 per day are extra. Availability is limited and restrictions apply, so call for details.



We feature GM products like the Pontiac Grand Am.

AUTO DEALER HAS MONEY TO LOAN TO HIGH RISK CUSTOMERS! NOW AT TWO LOCATIONS!





**CALL YPSILANTI TODAY
ASK FOR LISA
(313) 482-1222
1379 E. MICHIGAN AVE.
YPSILANTI, MI**

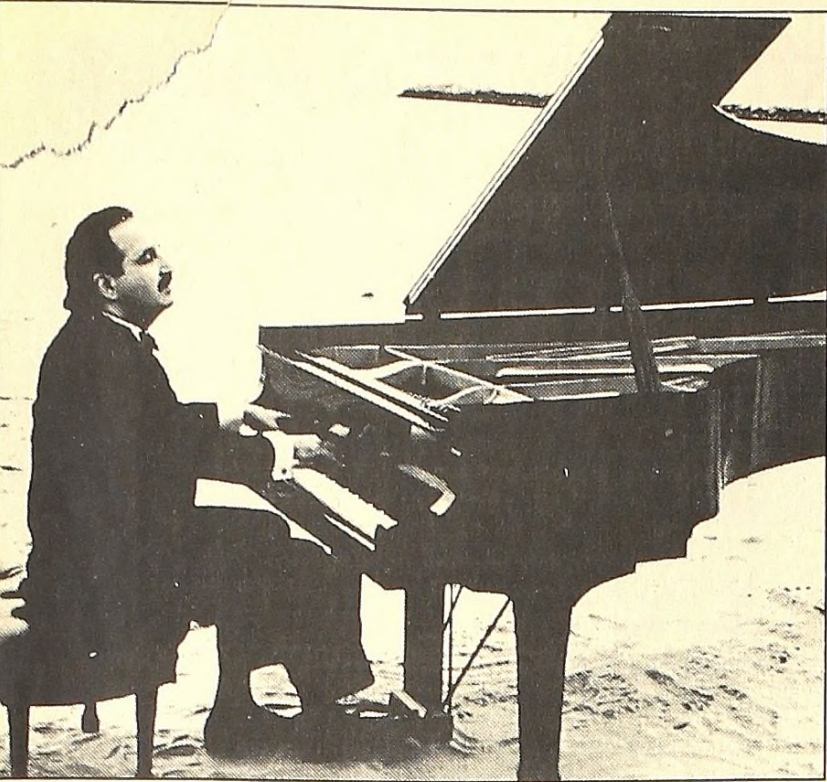
Bad credit, no credit, first time buyer, even bankrupt, no problem says the credit specialist of the Auto Finance Center in Ypsilanti. In fact, if the customer brings in the required documents (driver's license, social security card and most recent check stubs), the staff at the Auto Finance Center can have them on the road in their new car or truck in less than one hour.

The Auto Finance Center offers both a credit establishment program geared to the first time or entry buyer who may have previously been turned down at other dealers or approved only with a co-signer. Also offered are re-establishment programs for those people rejected by previous bad credit or bankruptcy. We also have financing for self employed, retirees and SSI. Service contracts are also available.

Those people who are tired of hearing NO, Call Now to hear a YES!



**CALL WAYNE TODAY
ASK FOR BILL
(313) 595-7800
31525 E. MICHIGAN AVE.
WAYNE, MI**



Classical pianist and Detroit native David Syme. MCN Special Photo

Classical pianist to perform at first Spring Ball

The Westland Community Foundation will host its First Spring Ball featuring classical pianist David Syme as he performs to help raise money for the foundation's many local endeavors.

Syme is well known to Detroit audiences through his nine solo appearances with the Detroit Symphony and his classical concerts in such venues as Lincoln Center, Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and in major halls throughout 11 European countries in addition to Canada and Mexico.

As a Julliard trained pianist, Syme also represented the USA in international piano competitions in Moscow and Warsaw where he received critical acclaim. Since mid-1990 he has become known to millions of radio lis-

Syme is well known to Detroit audiences through his nine solo appearances with the Detroit Symphony and his classical concerts in such venues as Lincoln Center, Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and in major halls throughout 11 European countries in addition to Canada and Mexico.

teners through his live call-in request shows where he's earned the nickname "The Human Jukebox".

From his suburban home in West Bloomfield, Syme plays favorite songs on radio stations from coast to coast including Detroit's WOMC and WJR. He has developed an uncanny ability to recall and play thousands of songs on the pi-

ano from memory. His repertoire ranges from the most demanding classics to current popular songs, a versatility equalled by no other pianist before the public today.

Career highlights include performances for the President William J. Clinton and the President of Mexico. He now travels throughout the country promoting his recordings

Book discussion group formed

If you like to read books...like to talk about books you read...then join a book discussion group!

The William P. Faust Library of Westland has announced the debut and formation of a Book Discussion Group. Members will meet the second Wednesday of April, May, and June, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the library's Community Meeting Room.

The book for the first meeting on April 9 is an early work by popular author Ann Rice, *The Feast of All Saints*. This historical novel, set in

pre-Civil War New Orleans, features many locations familiar to readers of Rice's *Vampire Chronicles* and *Mayfair Witches* series.

On May 14, the featured book is Dyan Sheldon's *My Life as a Whale*, a delightful romp through modern mating rituals in New York City.

Livonia author S.K. Wolf's *Mackinnon's Machine* will be discussed June 11. This espionage thriller about international intrigue features a leading hero resembling many characters Sean Connery has brought to life. The hero

guides a commando raid in the Middle East.

Participants are expected to have read the featured book before each meeting. To register for the Book Discussion Group and reserve the books, call the library at (313) 326-6123. The library is located at 6123 Central City Parkway, between Ford and Warren Roads. The facility is open Monday through Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Thursday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday (Labor Day through Memorial Day) 12 noon to 5 p.m.

2 students join honor society

By MAUDE REID
MCN Special Writer

Delores Flagg, art teacher, coordinator, advisor at Blanchette Middle School, stated that two students have

been selected to become members of the National Junior Arts Honor Society, and the invitations were based on effort, attitude, sense of dedication in art.

Wendy's "Celebrate the Arts Month" will be held from March first through April second, and Blanchette students' art will be exhibited at the local Wendy's Restaurant.

Newspaper carriers wanted for routes

Youngsters who want to earn extra money and be eligible for prizes can apply for a Michigan Community Newspaper route.

Carriers can earn money for hobbies, sports, entertainment or savings. There are also opportunities for tickets to entertainment events and other prizes for responsible and dependable carriers.

Carriers can earn money for hobbies, sports, entertainment or savings.

Newspaper routes are available in many neighborhoods,

and, whenever possible, carriers will be given routes on their own streets or neighboring streets.

Call Rachael at 729-4000 for additional information and to schedule an appointment to join our team of carriers. Individuals may call during regular business hours and as late as 8 p.m. on Monday through Thursday.

LOWEST PRICE OF THE SEASON!

SEARS PRE-SEASON

Central Air Conditioning

0% OFFER! NO BILLING

NO PAYMENTS NO FINANCE

Charge 'til May 1st, 1997

CALL US TODAY!

FOR FREE IN-HOME ESTIMATE
CALL 1-800-659-1174

SEARS ...Your Heating & Cooling Headquarters

Offer Expires March 29, 1997

TRI-COUNTY MATTRESS FACTORY

FULL LINE OF FURNITURE

South
13123 Eureka
(1 block west of Fort)
283-1500

Central
16706 Telegraph
(Between 5 & 6 Mile)
535-2500

Westland
38411 Ford Rd.
(1 Mile East of I-275)
728-9500

Ypsilanti
505 S. Huron
480-2990

MATTRESS SPECIALS

Endorsed by Metro Chiropractic Centers

| | Firm | Extra Firm | Super Firm |
|-----------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Twin ea. | \$39 ⁹⁵ | \$79 ⁹⁵ | \$109 ⁹⁵ |
| Full ea. | \$59 ⁹⁵ | \$99 ⁹⁵ | \$129 ⁹⁵ |
| Queen ea. | \$79 ⁹⁵ | \$109 ⁹⁵ | \$139 ⁹⁵ |
| King ea. | \$89 ⁹⁵ | \$129 ⁹⁵ | \$159 ⁹⁵ |

PILLOW TOP SALE!

| | FULL | QUEEN | KING |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| MED SET | \$175 | \$200 | \$290 |
| MED I | \$200 | \$240 | \$340 |
| MED II | \$225 | \$265 | \$365 |
| MED III | \$250 | \$290 | \$400 |
| MED IV | \$300 | \$350 | \$440 |

SOLD IN SETS ONLY

HEADBOARDS FROM \$29⁹⁵

BEDFRAMES FROM \$19⁹⁵

FUTONS FROM \$179⁹⁵

BUNKBEDS FROM \$69⁹⁵

DAYBEDS FROM \$69⁹⁵

Sleep Better Tonight Sale!

Bring In This Ad and Receive an Extra 10% OFF any Premium Bed!

Save Like Never Before!

17 Different Firmnesses...

We've Got a Bed for Every Back!

We have a complete line of Waterbed Replacement Mattresses

Special Sizes Are No Problem!

Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-8pm • Saturday 10am-6pm • Sunday Noon-5pm

Ask

Betty

Dear Betty,
I do love chili, but most recipes and chili mixes make way more than I need. As a single person, I need to know what to do with leftover chili so it doesn't go to waste.



Phoenix, AZ

Dear Betty,
I'm starting to cook with fresh garlic now, and it seems that I see it in every grocery store and on every menu. Since I don't buy it often, tell me: how long does garlic pack a punch?

Clover, MN

There are a million things you can do with chili; we've got space for three of them. Number one, throw a party. Cook up a big pot, then call in a crowd and have them tote the bread, chips and salad. Number two, freeze leftover chili for up to two months in a freezer-safe container in individual two-cup servings. And three, when it's chili time, try a different pairing: tuck the chili between two steaming halves of a baked potato, or spoon it over corn bread. Or mix it with cooked macaroni or rice for a quick casserole — add corn or leftover vegetables, too. You can create a taco salad by layering it over salad greens, grace with slightly crushed tortilla chips, then top with shredded Cheddar cheese. As for the great bean/no-bean debate, I make mine with.

It'll seem like forever if you're sitting too close to someone who eats a lot of it. Truth is, once you develop a taste for garlic, you'll wonder how you went without it for so long. Properly stored, unbroken bulbs will be flavorful for up to eight weeks. Longer than that and the bulbs lose moisture, and the flavor intensifies and grows bitter. Individual cloves will keep from three to ten days. Store in an open container in a cool, dark place away from other foods. Garlic is perhaps the oldest and best known of all the so-called "healing foods." Over the centuries it has been credited with everything from curing toothache to chasing off evil spirits. All that, and incredible flavor, too.

Betty Crocker

Cooking Cousins — Onion and garlic are often paired in recipes. Interestingly, both are members of the lily family. Most supermarket produce sections carry jarred minced garlic, packed in oil.

Next Week:
GET READY FOR GRILLING

College celebrates 30th anniversary

Wayne County Community College (WCCC) celebrates its 30th anniversary this year with an open invitation to residents from across the county to participate in the various events being planned.

A monthly series of special activities will begin in March and culminate with a scholarship fund raiser in December.

Wayne County Community College President, Dr. Curtis L. Ivery, stressed that the celebration is open to all the citizens of Wayne County, and especially to the 350,000 students that have benefited from attending WCCC over the last 30 years.

The college, which was founded in 1967, also has invited a cross-section of the business, religious, government, labor, cultural arts, ethnic, and educational communities to become involved in anniversary events.

"We want to make this 30th anniversary a time to celebrate the more than 350,000 students that have been served by the Wayne County Community College District," Dr. Ivery said. "Our plans are to highlight the areas in which the various segments of our college community and the entire county can celebrate."

"We intend to hold events on each of our campuses in which everyone can participate."

A special method of participation will be accomplished through "Reflection Boxes" on each of the five campuses where special greetings and college memories can be placed. The "Reflections" eventually will become part of a 30th Anniversary souvenir book.

The 30th anniversary commemoration kicked off with an ecumenical religious program.

A State of the College news conference is planned for April 7. In addition to a message regarding the progress of WCCC presented by Dr. Ivery, the April program will include an employee recognition event. Martha Grier, special



Dr. Curtis L. Ivery

assistant to the WCCC president, and George Swan, WCCC director of public affairs, will chair the April program.

The month of May will feature ethnic cultural events on all five WCCC campuses. The May committee is chaired by Mary Jane Bond, interim associate dean of academic services. The ethnic cultural events will center around a native dress day, ethnic festivals, and a program presented by and for the disabled.

On June 6 the pomp and pageantry of commencement will bring students, faculty and staff together for the major program of the season. Grier is also chair of the commencement program.

Cultural Arts Month in July will give students and staff an opportunity to display their talents. Scheduled are a street fair, an art exhibition and a writing contest. The Cultural Arts Month programs are chaired by Sharon Banks, WCCC director of develop-

Our plans are to highlight the areas in which the various segments of our college community and the entire county can celebrate. We intend to hold events on each of our campuses in which everyone can participate.

- Dr. Curtis L. Ivery

ment, and Cynthia Kuhn, WCCC director of corporate services.

There will be a New Student Reception at the college on Aug. 10. The event is chaired by Jacqueline Hodges, interim associate dean for enrollment management at WCCC.

September will host three major programs. They include a service agency event, a reception in Lansing, and an event at which past and present WCCC trustees will be honored. A committee comprised of Kenneth Harris, WCCC dean of planning, assessment and institutional research, and Jonathan Cartwright will plan the September programs.

October's program includes a power lunch for the business community. Government officials, Chamber of Commerce members and members of the business community will be invited to attend.

Also scheduled during Octo-

ber is an unveiling followed by an open house launching WCCC's Corporate Computer Center. Committee members include Kuhn, Harris and Cartwright.

In November WCCC will present a Labor Program, including a public forum and reception. Willie Acosta, executive assistant to the president, chairs the committee.

The December culmination event is scheduled to be a major entertainment program to raise money for scholarships. Still in the early planning stages, the scholarship program will include a cocktail reception and dinner, followed by a program of musical entertainment featuring a major performer.

The Scholarship Program Committee is chaired by Banks, and includes Grier and Swan.

A striking 30th anniversary logo -- incorporating the slogan: 30 years of making lives better at Wayne County Community College, where learning leads to a better life -- has been designed and will be placed on stationary and envelopes, banners lining major streets near college campuses, billboards, bumper stickers and other advertising venues, Dr. Ivery said.

"This anniversary is a very important milestone in the history of Wayne County Community College," Dr. Ivery said. "The various events that are being planned will serve to launch the college into the 21st century."

"We're calling on alumni, former employees, families of our graduates and staff, and friends of Wayne County Community College to join in the 30th anniversary festivities by calling (313) 496-2600 to participate on any of our committees."

The WCCC District includes five campuses: Downtown, on West Fort Street; Downriver, in Taylor; Eastern, on Conner in Detroit; Northwest, on Greenfield in Detroit; and Western, in Belleville.

LAW AUTO SALES, INC.

32115 MICHIGAN AVE., WAYNE, MI

★★★★ 722-5200 ★★★★★

1991 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE

Leather & Loaded, 1 Owner

\$7,995

1995 LINCOLN TOWN CAR SIGNATURE SERIES

Leather, moonroof, CD Arrive in Style!

\$23,995

1988 ELDORADO BIARRITZ

Leather & Fully Equipped. "Better Hurry".

\$3,995

1994 GMC 2500 STARCRAFT CONV. VAN

Low miles, the Cadillac of conv. vans.

\$15,995

1994 JEEP WRANGLER

Hard Top, 4x4, Red & Ready.

\$10,995

1991 CAPRI

Auto, air, full power, both tops

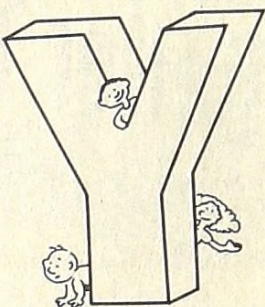
\$4,995

FINANCING AVAILABLE OVER 55 YEARS IN BUSINESS

WE NEED YOUR TRADE!

WAYNE WESTLAND YMCA CHILD CARE

A partner parents can trust!

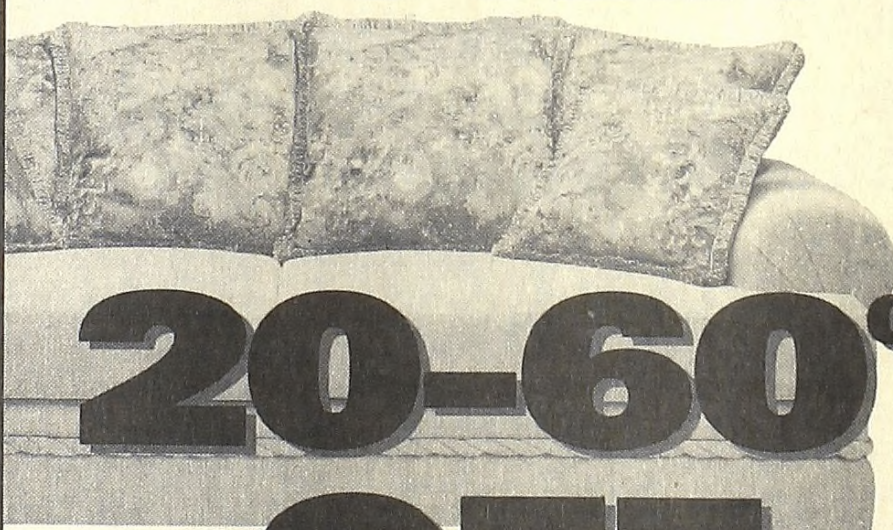


Year round care for 6 weeks-5 years old. Summer and holiday camp 6 yrs-12 yrs.

827 S. Wayne Rd. • Westland (1/2 mile south of Cherry Hill)
(313) 721-7044

FURNITURE & APPLIANCE

SEARS OUTLET



20-60% OFF

original retail prices!

refrigerators

As low as 399⁹⁵ for top mount and as low as 599⁹⁵ for side-by-side refrigerators

sofas

As low as 349⁹⁵

recliners

As low as 199⁹⁵

mattresses

As low as 99⁹⁵

Plus washers, dryers, ranges and more!

One-of-a-kind, out of carton, discontinued, floor samples, dented, used, scratched and reconditioned merchandise. Items pictured are just a few examples of the hundreds of great values. Merchandise shown is representation only. Actual merchandise varies by store.

SEARS WAREHOUSE OUTLET

12001 SEARS AVE.
LIVONIA
1 MILE WEST OF MIDDLEBEEF OFF PLYMOUTH RD.

PHONE: 422-5700

PREVIOUSLY SELECTED MERCHANDISE NOT INCLUDED

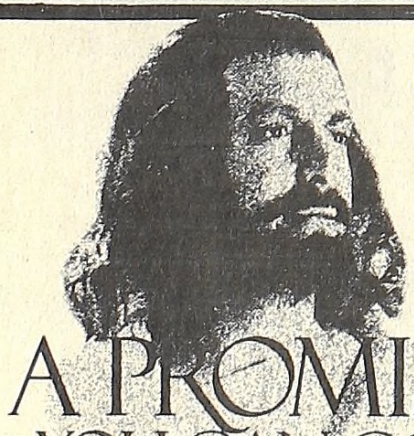
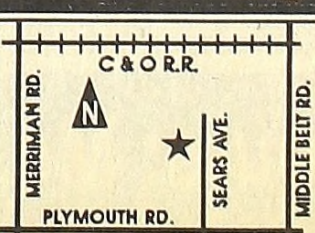
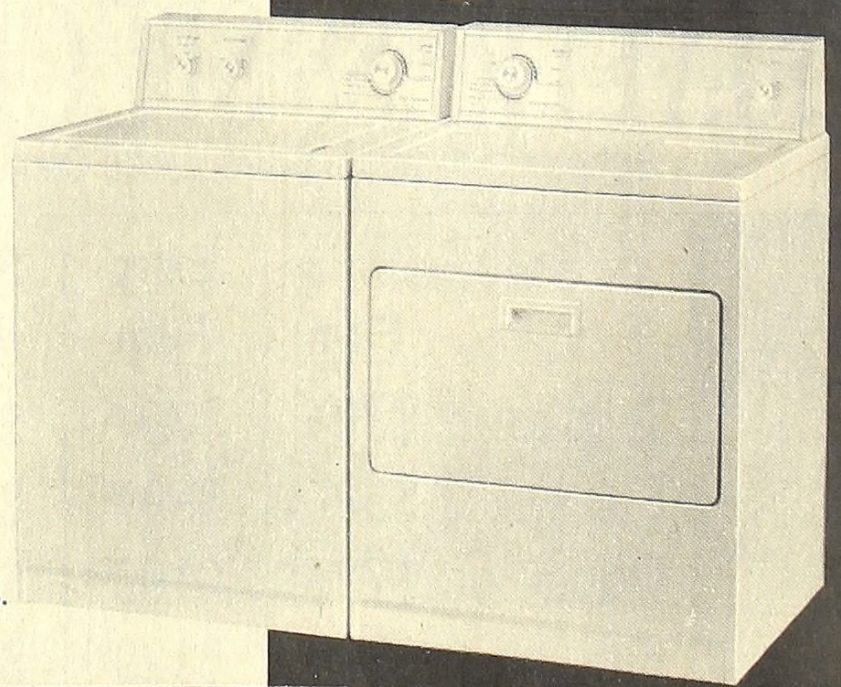
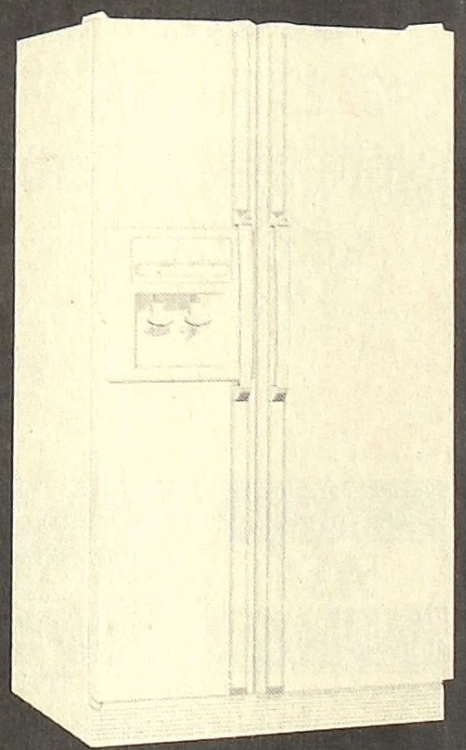
Open 7 Days

Mon. & Fri. 9:30 a.m. 9:00 p.m.
Tues., Wed., Thurs. & Sat. 9:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.
Sunday 12:00 Noon to 5:00 p.m.

Now more ways to buy at Sears



NEW SHIPMENTS ARRIVING DAILY!



A PROMISE YOU CAN COUNT ON

"I Will Be With You Always"

CELEBRATE EASTER, March 30
at **St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church**

35320 Glenwood, Just West of Wayne Rd.
Easter Services at 6:20 AM & 9:30 AM

or **Our Savior Ev. Lutheran Church**

33333 Warren Rd. at Farmington Rd.
Easter Service at 10:30 AM



Cub Scout Pack 904 of Hoover Elementary School recently hosted a cake auction fundraiser. Winners from the pack included Alex Brayman, (left) Justin Stromski, Brandon Michalik, Christopher Tinney and program judge Dennis Hermatz. MCN Special Photo

Scouts raise funds for summer camp

By KIMBERLY WOLOSKE
MCN Staff Writer

Cub Scout Pack 904 is hoping to send all of their boys to D-A Camp in Lapeer this summer, but the group has had to raise more than \$3250 to do so.

If an effort to alleviate the financial dilemma some parents face, particularly if they have more than one child in the pack, the scouts decided to host a cake auction in hopes of creating an annual fund raiser from the project.

Boys and their fathers (or a male adult) were charged with the task of mixing, baking and decorating a cake to be auction off for profits at the January event. All of the proceeds will benefit the four-day excursion for the boys in July.

According to Committee Chairman Sandie Stromski, the cost of the Cub Scout camp has steadily increased over the last few years making it difficult for some parents to afford the trip, not only for their child, but for them to attend as well.

"The auction served two purposes," said Stromski. "It was a bonding experience for the boys and their fathers as well as a fund raising project for the pack."

Stromski said the pack would accept donations from area businesses or organizations that were interested in sponsoring a child's trip to Lapeer.

"The boys really look forward to going to camp each year," said Stromski. "It's an opportunity for them to enjoy the outdoors and participate in a number of educational and recreational activities including swimming, archery and canoeing."

It was a bonding experience for the boys and their fathers as well as a fund raising project for the pack.

- Sandie Stromski

Cub Scout packs also face the financial obstacle of having their group chartered nationally and insured. On the average this can cost a small pack, like 904 (35 boys) thousands of dollars annually to renew.

Stromski said the cake auction was successful in raising a portion of the funds they'll need by July. Other fund raising projects are planned including a candy sale.

"We would like to express our sincere appreciation to Dennis Hermatz, owner of Wayne Lawn and Garden, for taking the time out of his busy schedule and judging our first Cake Auction. Dennis' sons, Denny and Andrew, are also involved in Cub Scouts with another pack," said Stromski.

Cub Scout Pack 904 of Hoover Elementary School received special accolades by Judge Hermatz as four boys received recognition for their cakes. They were:

- Most original 1st place - Alex Brayman
- Most decorative 1st place - Justin Stromski
- Most original honorable mention - Brandon Michalik
- Most decorative honorable mention - Christopher Tinney

ENGAGEMENTS



Michael J. Demeter and Amy M. Leach

Leach-Demeter

Nancy Luman of Livonia proudly announces the engagement of her daughter, Amy Melissa Leach to Michael Joseph Demeter, son of Richard and Sharon Demeter of Romulus.

Amy is a graduate of Churchill High School of Livonia and is currently attending Schoolcraft Community College as a Nursing Program student. She is employed by St. Mary Hospital Emergency Center of Livonia.

The groom, Michael, is a Romulus High School graduate and an employee of Diebolt International of Plymouth.

The couple will be married at the Universalist Unitarian Church of Farmington Hills on October 11, 1997. Amy and Michael will spend their honeymoon on a Caribbean cruise.



Michelle Harris and Anthony McNulty

Harris-McNulty

Freddie and Patricia Harris of Belleville proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, Michelle Harris to Anthony McNulty of Ypsilanti, the son of Bobby and Betty McNulty.

Michelle is a graduate of Belleville High School, currently attends William Tyndale College and is employed by Crossroads Bookstore. The groom, a graduate of Wayne Memorial High School, and works at Variety Die & Stamping.

The couple will wed Aug. 16, 1997 at Trinity Free Will Baptist Church. Honeymoon plans have not been made at this time.

Some Romulus residents eligible for tax credit

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Romulus residents in the 22nd Michigan House District have been told they could be eligible for \$3,556 from the IRS through the the Earned Income Tax Credit.

The EITC is a special tax benefit for low to moderate income working adults.

The announcement came from Michigan House Speaker Curtis Hertel (D- Detroit) in the absence of a local state representative for the district.

Even though the special election has not be conducted to replace former State Rep. Gregory Pitoniak, Hertel said that the 22nd District office is still staffed and can be reached by calling

517-373-0852.

Area residents can be declared eligible for EITC if (1) they raised one child and had earnings of less than \$25,078; raised two or more children and had earnings of less than \$28,495 or did not care for a child, but are between 25 and 64 years of age and had earnings below \$9,500.

Those wishing to claim ben-

efits should fill out Schedule EIC and attach it to their federal tax return. If earnings were too small to have paid federal taxes, persons can still get money back because the EITC is a refundable tax credit.

Last year approximately a half million Michigan taxpayers claimed EITC payments of about \$1,200 each.

Order now and get more than **\$95** in savings!

PUTTING MORE INTO YOUR TV... SO YOU GET MORE OUT OF IT.

from **Ameritech**

For **smart** home projects, here's the *right tool* for the job.

Use it this Saturday morning at 6:30 as Detroit Edison brings you "Our House"—a half-hour show full of ideas for making your home more energy efficient.

Join hosts Tom Tynan and Paula Engel for home improvement ideas, affordable weekend projects, and simple energy tips to help lower your energy bills, protect the environment, and make your house more comfortable to live in.

Our House

Tune into (or tape) "Our House" 6:30 a.m. Saturdays on WDIV-TV, Channel 4. Now through June 7th.

americast™ is a whole new kind of cable television, bringing you the finest in quality.

- ★ Unbeatable variety - sports, movies: always something to watch with more than 80 channels
- ★ State-of-the-art technology - fiber optics for better picture and sound plus great reliability
- ★ Superior customer service - we're here when you need us

Need another reason? Enjoy more than \$95 in savings on Ameritech and americast services.

- ★ Rebate on Ameritech® Quick Reach™ Paging - a \$30 value
- ★ FREE americast installation and savings on premium programming - a \$68 value

Easy to use! Easy to control! Easy to enjoy!

Call 1-800-848-CAST™ to order americast today and get more than \$95 in savings.

"Our House" is sponsored by:



Quick Reach paging rebate. Limitations apply. Service contract, activation fee and pager purchase required. Shipping and handling charges apply. Credit approval required. APR 12% if pager purchase is installment billed. Residential service only. Offer ends 6/97. Equipment service charges not included for americast installation. Wired serviceable areas only. Standard installation includes connection of up to two TV sets if completed at time of first installation visit. Separate trip charge for connection of additional TV sets after first installation visit applies. Some restrictions apply. Call for details.

© 1997 Ameritech
100181

Find Detroit Edison on the World Wide Web at <http://www.detroitedison.com>

YOUR MONEY MATTERS

Are Your Taxes Giving You The Financial Squeeze?

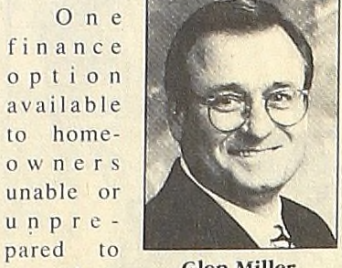
By Glen Miller
Mortgage Institute of Michigan

Each year thousands of Southeast Michigan residents are overwhelmed when they reach line 62 of their Federal 1040 form—commonly referred to as the I owe how much?—line.

From self-employed and sales professionals to small business owners and others, planning and saving for the April 15 tax deadline is difficult and sometimes impossible considering day-to-day and emergency expenses incurred throughout the year.

You must ask yourself two simple questions:

- ◆ Are you overburdened with a high tax?
- ◆ Do you have the ability to pay?



Glen Miller

One finance option available to homeowners unable or unprepared to pay their 1996 taxes is the home equity loan. This mortgage product allows homeowners to pay off taxes and reduce or eliminate other bills—all at one time.

For more information on how you can access your home equity to pay off taxes and other debts contact me directly at (810) 358-8787. We offer no-cost, no obligation payment comparisons and pre-approvals. ■

Telemarketing trio named 'Employees of Month'

When Michigan Community Newspapers decided to institute an Employee of the Month recognition program, the first choice was obvious -- the three telemarketers who teamed up to set a new sales record last week.

"We are really proud of their efforts," said Rachael Lewis, MCN circulation manager and telemarketing coordinator. "It's good to see them work so hard to not only reach their goal, but to exceed it -- and to see it pay off for them."

The three telemarketers, Kevin Serra, Andrea Hass and Sylvia Ellington, totaled more than 200 subscriptions to MCN newspapers last week.

Kevin, a student at John Glenn High School, is the senior member of the team, and credits his success to having the "gift of gab."

He has worked as a telemarketer for nine months, and has had a MCN newspaper route for five years.

Kevin balances his earnings by investing some in mutual funds and spending some for personal activities.

He plays the cello in the school orchestra and is a member of the German Club. Kevin plans to attend Western Michigan University after graduation and his goal is to become a pilot.

Andrea is an 11th grader at Wayne Memorial High School, and has worked as a tele-

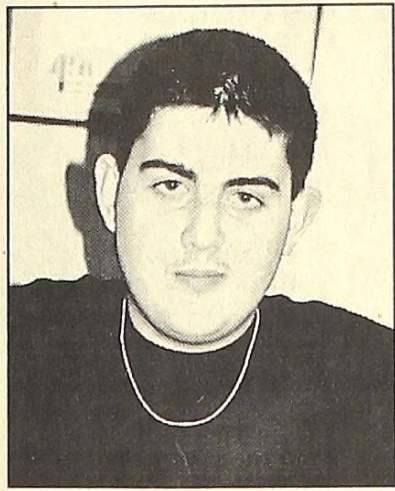
marketer since last September.

To be successful, she said, "you need to be nice to people, know how to overcome obstacles and have the ability and skill to talk to people."

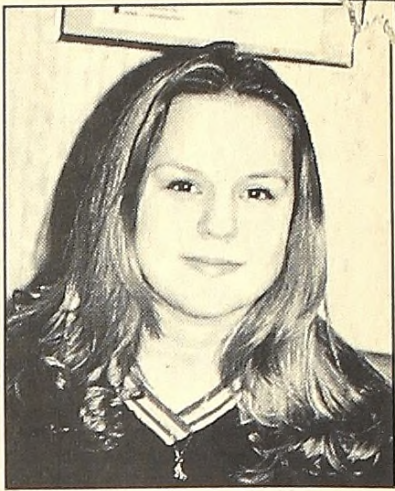
Because of her busy schedule at work and school, Andrea does not have much time for recreation, but she enjoys reading and being with her friends.

The newest member of the telemarketing team is Sylvia Ellington of Romulus.

She is the mother of two children, 2-1/2 and 8, and has lived in Romulus for several years.



Kevin Serra



Andrea Hass

It's good to see them work so hard to not only reach their goal, but to exceed it--and to see it pay off for them.

- Rachael Lewis



Sylvia Ellington

Sylvia Ellington for their accomplishments and wishes them continued success.

places.

Although she is a new employee, Sylvia works hard to keep up with her more experienced co-workers and her goal is to continue to improve her sales and skills.

The publisher, managers and staff of MCN congratulate Kevin Serra, Andrea Hass and

MCN COMMUNITY Calendar

SEND INFORMATION-- Items for the "Community Calendar" should be submitted in writing at least one to two weeks prior to the event to Community Calendar, Michigan Community Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, Mich. 48184. Each brief calendar event should be listed on a separate piece of paper. For more information, phone our newsroom at 729-4000 ext. 45.

SENIOR FITNESS DAY-- May 28 beginning at 9 a.m. at the West-

land Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh Road in Westland. For more information call the Westland Senior Resource Department at 722-7632.

AA OF GARDEN CITY-- Alcoholics Anonymous meet every Wednesday and Sunday beginning at 8:30 p.m. at Garden City Hospital on Inkster Road just north of Ford Road. For more information or to speak to a contact person call Woody at (313) 729-0520.

AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE HEALTH FAIR-- March 23 from 1 to 5 p.m. at Sharon SDA Church, 28537 Cherry Street, Inkster (south of Michigan Ave. between Harrison and Middlebelt). Health Screening for hypertension, diabetes, cholesterol, prostate cancer and eye exams for glaucoma and cataracts. FREE, FREE, FREE. All adults welcome - male and female. Plus vegetarian tasting and free clothing give away. For more information call 722-2313 or 277-5757.

ANN ARBOR CIVIL WAR ROUND TABLE-- This group meets on the second Monday of every month from September to May at 7 p.m. for a speaker, program, sharing or discussion of battlefield preservation issues. Call 930-0617 or 973-1047 for further information. Non-members and guests are always welcome.

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION-- is seeking volunteers to provide companionship to persons experiencing memory loss. Those who volunteer receive an excellent orientation that provides them with the information and skills to brighten the life of someone with Alzheimer's. To learn more or to volunteer please call Adam Sterling, (810) 557-8277.

ENCORE-- Discussion, exercise, and support group for women who have had breast cancer surgery. Sponsored by the WYCA of Western Wayne County., 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster. The group meets every Thursday from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For more information please call 561-4110 or 722-7329.

MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES--

a local group for mother's with twins, triplets, etc. If you are interested in sharing the same experiences, trials and tribulations of having twins please join us by calling Shelly Weir at 326-1466. We meet regularly for group outings, luncheons with our children and host clothing/equipment drives.

CREATIVE CAMERA CLUB-- meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at the Southgate Library. The library is located next to city hall at 14680 Dix-Toledo Road. The meetings are open to the public and people of all ages and skill levels are welcome.

WAYNE-WESTLAND FIRE-FIGHTER AWARDS-- The VFW Harris-Kehler 3323 Post and Auxiliary will host their annual Wayne and Westland Firefighter Awards banquet April 19 beginning at 7 p.m. The event is catered and the public is welcome, tickets are \$10. For more information about the program please telephone Bessy Bell at 326-6524.

CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB DETROIT-- is a non-profit organization for single Catholics, age 21 or older, who have earned a bachelor's

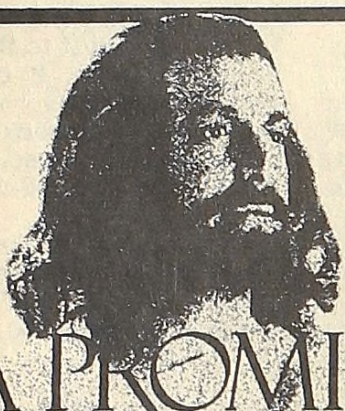
degree and are free to marry in the Catholic Church. CACD has approximately 250 members throughout the metro Detroit area and offers a large number and variety of activities, including religious, cultural social, athletic and intellectual events. Please contact Julie at 271-4213 or Tim 676-8966 for more information.

BLOOD DRIVES-- Share in the joy of giving - give blood. To make an appointment call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE.

GOLDEN HOUR CLUB-- In Wayne enjoys cards, travel, friends and fun. A pot luck luncheon/business meeting takes place 10:30 a.m. every Thursday for seniors 55 years old and older. For more information call the Wayne Senior Services Office at 721-7460.

SOMETIMES TRAVELLERS offers travel to very unique places with old and new friends. All the details of the various excursions are taken care of by the Wayne Senior Services Office. For information on the next trips or to join Sometimes Travellers call 721-7460.

See **CALENDAR**, page B-7



A PROMISE
YOU CAN COUNT ON

"I Will Be With You Always"

CELEBRATE EASTER, March 30
at **St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church**
35320 Glenwood, Just West of Wayne Rd.
Easter Services at 6:20 AM & 9:30 AM

or **Our Savior Ev. Lutheran Church**
33333 Warren Rd. at Farmington Rd.
Easter Service at 10:30 AM



"My banker helped me find \$34,000 in my attic..."

"That's a first."

You'd be surprised the money we find in people's houses.

Home Equity Loans

8.99% APR

For example a \$30,000 loan for 180 months at \$304.09 per month.

Fixed rate, fixed term. No fees or closing costs.

All you have to do is ask us about a Home Equity Loan for improvements or other purchases.

Our approval process is fast, and our rates are low. You could get

an even better deal with First of America Connections. What's more, we waive all closing costs and application fees. And, the interest may be tax deductible.*

So stop by our nearest location.

Or if you're really in a hurry, give us a call at 1-800-347-LOAN and we'll give you an answer right there and then.


First of America. The bank that always works a little harder so you can get your home to start working a little harder for you too. That's a first.

That's a first

1-800-347-LOAN

FIRST OF AMERICA Bank


Loans subject to credit approval. Payment includes principal and interest. Loan rates may vary depending upon amount financed and are subject to change without notice. Limited time offer only. Offer limited to new loans and increases of \$5,000 or more. Member FDIC. *Consult your tax advisor regarding interest deductibility. Equal Housing Lender. For individuals with a TDD device, service is available 9-5 EST, M-F at 1-800-289-4614. ©1997 First of America Bank Corporation. 5



THE NATIVE SON RETURNS HOME

*The Preaching man,
Teaching man,
Praying man and
Concerned man.*

The native son, Bishop Clarence B. Haddon returns home to Inkster after a long absence to open the doors of the formerly known Bethlehem Temple of Inkster located at 4010 Moore Street, originally built and pastored by the late District Elder Oscar George Hayes. Suffragan Bishop Clarence B. and First Lady Joyce R. Haddon renames the site Greater Hayes Christian Cathedral. He also pastors' Unity Cathedral of Faith Church located in Detroit at 8809 Schoolcraft. The first service will take place on Easter Sunday afternoon at 3:00 P.M., with a motorcade beginning at Michigan Avenue and Inkster Road. Joining in this festive occasion will be the widower, Evangelist Marion Hayes-Jackson of San Antonio, Texas, the former First Lady of District Elder Oscar George Hayes. Thereafter, a midweek service consisting of bible teaching at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesdays and a 3:00 P.M. service each Sunday. This is the Lord's doing and it is marvelous in our eyes.



Calendar

Continued from page B-6

18 years old and adults. For more information call 313-529-5732.

FIRST STEP PROGRAM--First Step a non-profit social service agency specializing in domestic violence and sexual assault will be providing education, support and counseling services. The program is called "Children - The Forgotten Victims. Take A 'First Step' For Your Child" is for children ages 6-18 years of age and is made possible through a special grant from United Way of Southeastern Michigan for Children and Youth in crisis. For more information call 453-9596. Help is also available for men, women and children affected by violence by calling the 24 hour helpline at (313) 459-5900.

ALZHEIMER'S CARE-GIVERS--a new support group for Alzheimer's caregivers will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every month at St. John Neumann, 4480 Warren Road in Canton Township. All meetings are free and everyone is welcome. For more information please call Rosemarie Shim at 697- 8051 or Anna Lilla at the Alzheimer's Association at 557- 8277.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON JAY-CEES--will meet at 8 p.m. the fourth Thursday of every month at the Plymouth Cultural Center. For further information, phone 453-8407.

PREGNANCY SUPPORT GROUP-- for moms of all ages in the Belleville area. For more information, phone 697- 4409.

SOUTHEAST SUBURBAN MOTHERS OF TWINS CLUB--meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Monday of each month. Phone 942-9678.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS-- Members of the support group for overeaters meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at St. John's Episcopal Church in Westland, every Monday at Growth Works, Inc. in Plymouth and every Thursday at Unity Church in Inkster. Phone 545-LIFE.

ALANON-- meets at 10 a.m. every Thursday at First United Methodist Church in Belleville. Meetings are closed to the general public. For information phone 461-6031.

TOPS-- Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at United Presbyterian Church, 11900 Belleville Road in Belleville, at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday. Basic adult membership dues are \$16 annually first 2 years and \$14 subsequently. Chapter weekly dues are \$1. If you would like to locate any chapter call (1-800) 932-8677.

AMBASSADOR JUNIOR CIVITANS-- will meet 7 p.m. at the Historical Meeting House located at 36993 Marquette the first and third Tuesday of each month. New members between the ages of 13 and 18 are sought for community service activities.

MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (MADD)-- Wayne County Chapter has a Victim

Support Group for the victims and surviving family members/friends of drunk driving accidents. Meetings are scheduled at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at Gabriel Richard Campus Ministry Building, U of M Dearborn Campus, 3001 Evergreen Road in Dearborn. Call the MADD office at 422-MADD for more information.

SINGLES

ST. JOHN NEUMANN'S SINGLES GROUP--located in Canton on Warren between Sheldon and Canton Center. For further information call Scott (313) 722-3654 or Marilyn at 591-9269. For further information call: Marilyn Sammut 591-9269 after 6 p.m.; Patrick Belanger 277-6083 or Theresa Muscat, 277-2171.

U.S. SINGLETONS--are looking for area residents interested in meeting their peers. All singles welcome ages 45 and up wishing further information regarding this national organization's activities, please write to: U.S. Singletons, P.O. Box 2175, Fort Dearborn Station, Dearborn, Mich.

TODAY'S SINGLES--Join the singles as we welcome and enjoy the powerful and empowering message of an associate minister. Church of Today Fellowship Hall, 11200 Eleven Mile, Warren, \$5. Today's Singles Hotline, (810) 773-0114.

SELECTIVE SINGLES SOCIAL AND TRAVEL CLUB-- consists of 600 interesting and educated singles 25 years old and older in the extended tri-county area. There are many ongoing social activities and trips. For more information or to receive a complimentary newsletter call 810-867-0888, 810-553-7960 or 810-553-2105.

TRI-COUNTY SINGLES--is having a dance at the Burton Manor, located at I-96 and Inkster Road, Exit 177 in Livonia. For more information about the 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. dance call the hotline at 842- 7422. March 22, and 29 at Burton Manor; March 29 Bonnie Brook Country Club; April 5, 12 Burton Manor and April 19 at Bonnie Brook Country Club. March 29 Bonnie Brook Country Club; April 5, 12 at Burton Manor and April 19 at Bonnie Brook Country Club.

WESTSIDE SINGLE DANCES--Every Friday from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Burton Manor (Livonia) Schoolcraft West of Inkster Road. Early arrivals \$3 admission before 8:30 p.m. after 8:30 p.m. admission \$5. 21 and over please, dressy attire (no jeans). For more information call (313) 981-0909. Friday night singles dances every Friday at Burton Manor, Schoolcraft road, west of Inkster Road, Livonia. Admission is \$5; early bird special \$3 before 8:30 p.m. Ages 21 and older welcome. Music by professional D.J. Top 40 current hits - dressy attire (no jeans). Call 981-0909 for more information.

Belleville Art Colony gains support

The Belleville Area Council for the Arts has agreed to support the Belleville Central Business Community and the City of Belleville in their attempts to create an Art Colony in the City of Belleville.

The Arts Council voted to provide \$2,000 for the purpose of bringing artists into the City of Belleville during the month of August to paint and draw in the city's parks and downtown mall. These "artists in residence" are hoped to encourage other artists to come and share in the creative process and at the same time bring art-lovers into the city to see artists at work. The innovative program will be under the leadership of Barbara Trom-

beta of the Central Business Community and Sandy Askew of the Belleville Area Council for the Arts.

With the picturesque panorama of the city's lake and parks, the artists will have am-

ple subject matter. The community expects to benefit from the kind of attention and type of visitors that the artists will attract. A summer evening stroll through Belleville can be transformed to an experi-

ence in art that is unlike any other offered in this area. The future of the Art Colony in Belleville is optimistic and the entire idea has been received with a general enthusiasm.

Shopping center hosts spelling contest

Are you a good speller?

If so, Westland Shopping Center and Radio AAHS WCAR 1090 AM are looking for student participants.

The contest will be staged March 22 in the East Court (near Winkelman's). The Radio AAHS Spelling "A" (for AAHS) is open to all students in grades first through sixth. Sponsors are hoping the event will be a fun way for kids to show off their spelling skills, have fun and win prizes.

The winners of this contest will receive prizes furnished by Microsoft and go onto the finals where a multimedia computer system with Windows95 (furnished by Discount Computer Inc.) will be awarded as a grand prize.

Youngsters can register at their local library, participating Fantastic Sam's, Henry Ford Medical Center-Westland and Westland Shopping Center Customer Service or call WCAR 1090 AM at (313) 525-1111 for more information. The spelling event will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m.

EASTER DAY BRUNCH

SUNDAY MARCH 30, 1997 - 11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

•SHRIMP COCKTAIL•CRAB CLAW COCKTAIL•SMOKED FISH & PATE'S
•SALAD BAR•FRESH FRUIT & CHEESE'S•WAFFLE STATION •EGGS
BENEDICT•SCRAMBLED & WESTERN EGGS•BACON & SAUSAGE

•CARVED BAKED HAM & ROAST SIRLOIN•CHICKEN BREAST AMARETTO
•ROAST PORK LOIN•SHRIMP & SCALLOPS PROVENCAL over TRICOLOR
FETTUCCINE•POTATOES AU GRATIN•GARDEN FRESH VEGETABLES

•SCINTILLATING DESSERT TABLE

CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL

8000 MERRIMAN ROAD, ROMULUS

RESERVATION: (313)729-2600 EXT. 7140

ADULTS:\$18.95 • SENIOR CITIZENS \$15.95 • CHILDREN (5-10) \$ 5.95
CHILDREN UNDER 5 FREE



CLARION INN

31200 INDUSTRIAL EXPRESSWAY
ROMULUS, MI 48174
(313) 728-2800

PALM'S CAFE EASTER BRUNCH

CHEF PREPARED OMELETTES
FRENCH TOAST W/APPLE COMPOTE
CRISPY BACON
RED SKIN LYANNOIS POTATOES
BUTTERMILK BISCUITS W/SAUSAGE GRAVY

FULL SALAD BAR WITH SEASONAL FRESH FRUIT
SWEET TABLE, CHAMPAGNE, BREAD & ROLLS, COFFEE,
JUICES & SODA

CHEF CARVED ROASTED PRIME RIB
CHEF CARVED GLAZED HAM
CRANBERRY GLAZED PORK ROAST
CREAMY WHIPPED POTATOES
DAPHAUNOISE POTATOES
GLAZED CARROTS
CAULIFLOWER AU GRATIN
PASTA W/ASSORTED SAUCES

\$15.95
\$12.95 SENIOR CITIZENS
\$10.95 CHILDREN 6-10
N/C CHILDREN UNDER 5
11 AM-5 PM



We're rolling back
Equity Line rates
to as low as prime:
8.25% APR.*

Choose the Equity Line that's right for you.

With our Equity Line, you can access cash for your family's larger needs...such as home improvements, loan consolidation, college tuition, a second home, a new car or boat, or an unexpected emergency. And you can choose the loan amount and annual percentage rate, based on the loan-to-value (LTV) you have in your home.

| Variable Rate | Up to 80% LTV | 81% to 90% LTV | 91% to 100% LTV |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| \$100,000 and up | 8.25% | — | — |
| \$99,999-\$50,000 | 8.75% | 10.25% | 11.25% |
| \$49,999-\$25,000 | 9.25% | 10.25% | 11.25% |
| \$24,999-\$3,500 | 9.75% | 10.25% | 11.25% |

Rates effective 3/3/97

Plus, because an Equity Line is secured by your home, the interest rate you pay may be fully deductible for

federal income tax purposes. In addition, there's no application fee, no closing costs and no points.

To apply, stop by any Standard Federal Banking Center or call 1-800/HOME-800.

Helping You Along The Way.™

Standard Federal Bank
Savings/Financial Services
8095 Macomb
Grosse Ile, Michigan 48138
313/675-8330



Standard
Federal

* The Annual Percentage Rate (APR) applicable to your account will vary depending on your credit limit and the loan-to-value ratio. The APR is determined by taking the weekly average prime rate as published by the Federal Reserve Board during the last week of March, June, September and December and adding a margin. The maximum APR is 18%. A balloon payment may be due at maturity. You must carry insurance on the property that secures your Equity Line. Consult your tax advisor regarding the tax deductibility of interest. Tax laws are subject to change and individual tax situations vary. ©1997 Standard Federal Bank



GARDEN FANTASY

We Have A Large Selection
of Easter Plants

Azaleas, Tulips, Hyacinths, Daffodils, Mums, and more...
Beautiful Easter Corsages • Easter Cards

Celebrate the joys of spring.

Easter is Sunday, March 30.

Enjoy the beauty and magic of spring with a charming Teleflora Easter Keepsake Bouquet. To send those unique bouquets anywhere in the U.S. or Canada, call or visit our shop.

Teleflora

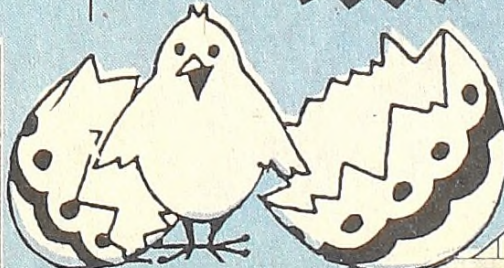
Wire Service Available and Delivery.
Deliveries to ALL Metro Detroit area.
All Major Credit Cards Accepted



10501 Haggerty Road
BELLEVILLE
(1/4 mile North of I-94)
699-7370

Friday (Apr 5th) and
Saturday (Apr 6th) only
from 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Kids can visit the
Easter Bunny

We are now an
FTD Florist!



Special Holiday Hours
Mon-Sat 9-6
Sunday 10-4

**7.9% APR
AND
\$79⁰⁰**
OVER
INVOICE**

THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS AT KRUG CHEVROLET

**7.9% APR
AND
\$79⁰⁰**
OVER
INVOICE**

ON OVER 60 '96 AND '97 VEHICLES IN STOCK TO CHOOSE NOW!

1997 FLEETSIDE Regular Cab W/T Pickup Stk#6149T

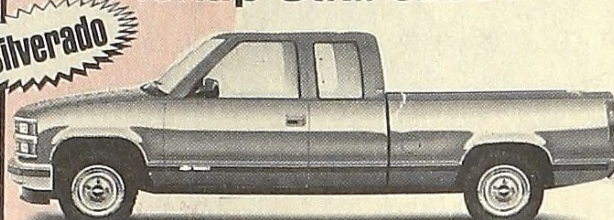


WAS \$16,577.00
INVOICE \$15,091.82**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$15,180.82

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$1,406.18
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$797.60
Eligible for 7.9% APR

1997 EXT.CAB FleetSide SWB Pickup Stk#6258T



WAS \$25,264.00
INVOICE \$22,208.07**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$22,287.07

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$2,976.93
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,231.95
Eligible for 7.9% APR

1997 EXT. CAB FleetSide 1 Ton Dually Pickup Stk#6037T



WAS \$27,294.00
INVOICE \$24,021.13**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$24,100.13

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$3,193.87
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,333.45
Eligible for 7.9% APR

1996 H.D FLEETSIDE 3/4 Pickup St#S747T

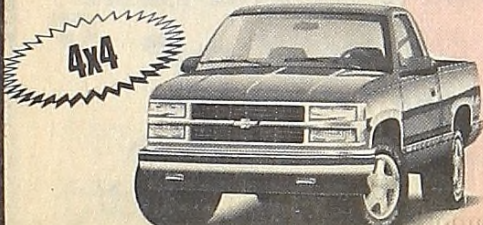


WAS \$22,739.00
INVOICE \$20,022.00**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$18,995.00

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$3,744.00
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,106
Eligible for 7.9% APR

1997 FLEETSIDE Regular Cab 4x4 Pickup Stk#6497T

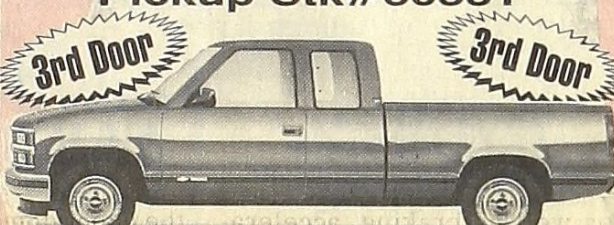


WAS \$22,910.00
INVOICE \$20,190.16**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$20,269.16

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$2,640.84
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,114.25
Not Eligible for 7.9% APR

1997 EXT.CAB FleetSide SWB Pickup Stk#6055T

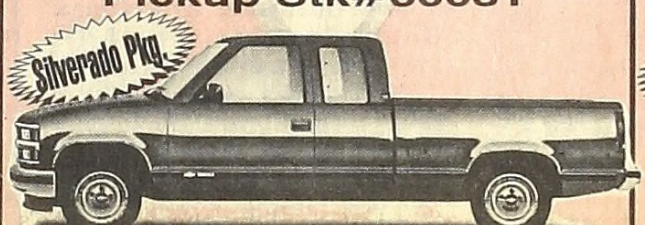


WAS \$26,460.00
INVOICE \$23,242.61**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$23,321.61

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$3,138.39
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,291.75
Eligible for 7.9% APR

1997 EXT. CAB FleetSide SWB Pickup Stk#6003T



WAS \$24,642.00
INVOICE \$21,670.04**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$21,749.04

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$2,892.96
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,200.85
Eligible for 7.9% APR

1997 EXT. CAB FLEETSIDE SWB Pickup St#6200T



WAS \$25,722.60
INVOICE \$22,635.58**
PLUS \$79.00

YOU PAY \$22,714.58

Plus tax, title & license
You Save \$3,008.02
GM Employees Save
An Additional \$1,254.65
Eligible for 7.9% APR

OPTION 1 PRICING AVAILABLE***

*** On select models, see salesman for details

OVER \$3,000,000 INVENTORY REDUCTION

| USED CARS | | | | USED TRUCKS | | | | USED CARS | | | |
|--|--|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| '96 Chevy C-1500 Extra Cab Pick up Silverado Pkg. Full power, bucket seats, loaded | '96 Chevy Tahoe 4 door 4x4, loaded, pwr. windows, locks, tilt, cruise, cd player, reduced to | '94 GMC Suburban 3/4 Ton 4 WD 2 Tone, low miles, loaded | '95 Plymouth Neon 4 Door Sport Auto, A/C, x-tra clean, Only | | '91 Mercury Grand Marquis LS Only 53,000 miles, loaded, ready to sell | '93 Chevy Camaro Auto, A/C, 6 cyl, red & ready, full power, Only | '92 Cavalier 2 Door Sunroof, A/C, cassette, low miles, Reduced to | '95 Chevy Beretta Auto, A/C, cassette, priced right Only | | | |
| \$19,688 | \$28,988 | \$23,988 | \$9,688 | | \$7,488 | \$9,988 | \$5,688 | \$9,988 | | | |
| '93 Chevy Corsica Auto, A/C, 6 cyl, only 44,000 miles | '94 Chevy Beretta Auto, A/C, cassette, only 22,000 miles | '94 Buick Century 6 cyl, p.w., p.l., p. seats, loaded | '93 Chevy Lumina 4 DR Euro Auto, A/C, 3.1 V-6, super sharp | | '95 Pontiac Grand Am 2 DR GT Auto, 6 cyl, tilt, cruise, p.w., p.l. Only | '92 Ford E-150 Custom Conversion Van Only 52,000 miles, 5.8 V-8, 4 buckets, rear sofa, extra sharp. Only | '96 Chevy Impala SS Leather, loaded, full pwr, 2 to chose from | '95 Chevy Monte Carlo Auto, A/C, full power, Only | | | |
| \$7,988 | \$8,988 | \$8,988 | \$6,988 | | \$11,988 | \$11,988 | \$21,988 | \$12,988 | | | |
| '94 Chevy S-Blazer 4 Door 4x4 Lt Pkg, leather, 6cyl, full power Only | '94 Chevy S-Blazer 4 DR 4x4 Auto, A/C, loaded, Only | '94 Ford Aspire 4 door Get ready for spring, cassette, cloth trim & more. Only | '95-96 Suburbans LS pkg Full power, all the toys From | '94 GMC S-Jimmy 4 DR 4x4 Full power, x-tra clean | '93 Ford Festiva 2 DR L Great transportation! Only | '89 Chevy Suburban 2 tone paint, auto, A/C, V-8, 8 passenger, full power. Only | '96 Chevy Lumina 4 DR Auto, A/C, 6 cyl, loaded, From | '95 Ford Contour 4DR GL Auto, A/C, x-tra clean! | '95 Mercury Cougar XR7 Full power, loaded, the right one! Only | | |
| \$13,988 | \$12,988 | \$5,988 | \$22,988 | \$14,988 | \$3,988 | \$8,988 | \$12,988 | \$9,988 | \$11,688 | | |

Deal with a trusted name since 1961

KRUG CHEVROLET

13801 Telegraph, Taylor • (Between Northline & Eureka)

Mon. & Thur. 8am - 9pm Tues., Wed., & Fri. 8am - 6pm

YOUR DOWNRIVER VOLUME DEALER

New Cars

287-2600

Used Car
Hotline

287-KRUG

* This offer applies to 1996 and 1997 2 wheel drive pickups. In dealer inventory through March 31, 1997 with approved G.M.A.C. credit. 7.9% APR up to 60 months.

** NOTICE TO BUYER: The invoice total includes factory holdback and advertising association assessments, and is not a net factory cost price to dealer. The invoice may also not reflect the ultimate cost of the vehicle due to the possibility of future rebates, allowances, discounts and incentive awards from the manufacturer.

Intrepid leaves competition in the dust

By MIKE WILCOX
MCN Publisher

There's not much to dislike with the 1997 Dodge Intrepid. Even the critical eye will have to look hard to find anything wrong with this innovative family driving machine.

What we found was a roomy, comfortable, 6-passenger automobile that buries its competition - The Ford Taurus, Chevrolet Lumina, Toyota Camry and Honda Accord, in many categories. Although the Accord and Taurus might be the sales leaders, Intrepid deserves a good look.

New for 1997 is the AutoStick system. The AutoStick lets drivers switch between automatic and clutchless manual transmission modes, allowing for greater control and driver interaction. Other improvements include 16-inch bolt-on covers, VCR style soft tape loading and optional driver's side power seat.

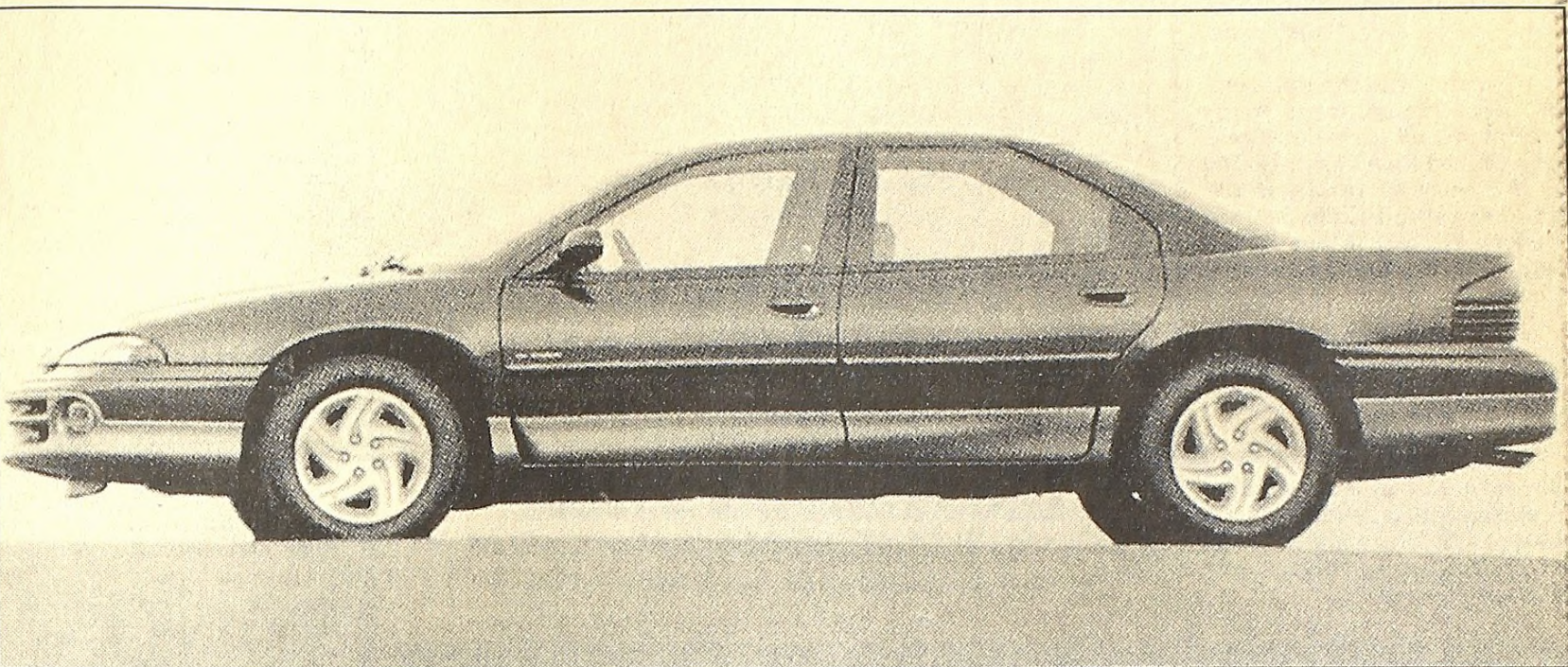
What the Intrepid lacks in sleekness (compare it to the Taurus and it may appear rather dull) it more than makes up in interior roomi-

ness. This it has in abundance. The cab forward design makes you feel like you have the room of a large Cadillac. In addition, the trunk space will really catch your eye. You needn't worry about getting two sets of golf clubs in - the Intrepid has room for three.

The Intrepid with its 3.3 liter, 161 horsepower V-6 has plenty of power and pick-up. In fact we found it to be far superior to many foreign luxury models we have tested. What we weren't happy with however, is gas mileage. Tested at 19/27, the model we had did slightly below these standards. I would expect better.

The sport model, called Intrepid Sport has even more horsepower. It's outfitted with a 3.5 liter, 214 horsepower V-6. In addition the sport package includes eight-way power driver's seat, leather wrapped steering wheel and shift knob and unique badging.

But let's get back to the real purpose of this car. For the price, about half the cost of a high-end Cadillac or foreign luxury, the Intrepid offers all



Dodge Intrepid

the comfort, safety and roominess of these top-of-the-line cars and thus is a great value. For families looking for an alternative to the mini-van or sport utility, again this 4-door, six passenger vehicle is perfect.

This vehicle can be packaged to satisfy the customer's varying degrees of interest in comfort and performance. Obviously with more comfort and performance comes a greater price tag. But that's the beauty of the Intrepid - a basic model can be purchased very eco-

Intrepid advantages

Cab-forward architecture allows the unusual combination of expressive aerodynamic styling, exceptional visibility, best-in-class interior room and a spacious cargo area, while a longer wheelbase and long-travel four-wheel independent suspension provide excellent ride and handling. Intrepid is a sporty sedan that is designed to perform and built to protect, combining an available 214 horsepower 3.5-liter overhead cam 24-valve V-6 engine (standard on ES and included in the Sport package) with standard driver and passenger air bags. It brings together the quietness and structural stability of a computer-aided body design with ergonomically designed seats and interior controls. For 1997, a Sport package, including 3.5-liter engine, Auto Stick transmission control system, eight-way power driver's seat, leather-wrapped steering wheel and shift knob and unique nameplates enhances the appeal of the base Intrepid.

nomically however if you want to spend the money the basic model can be made into a sporty, performance driven ve-

hicle. It's your choice, and whatever it is you can't go wrong. Thus if you are looking to

find a good value in an expressively styled, responsive four-door sedan, check out the Intrepid. It's worth the look!

New Dodge Dakota wins Sport Truck of Year Award

The newly redesigned Dodge Dakota pickup nabbed top honors in *Sport Truck* magazine's 1997 Sport Truck of the Year competition. The two-

wheel-drive Dodge Dakota Club Cab Sport was among six pickup trucks that vied for the title in the industry's only head-to-head "stress test" for

street trucks.

The evaluation was comprised of both objective and subjective tests that were administered by the magazine's

staff editors. In addition to closed-course testing, each vehicle was subjected to a 1,000 mile on-road ride and drive, as well as braking, accelera-

tion, and ergonomic rigors. The evaluation is limited to new or recently redesigned two-wheel-drive pickups from the major domestic and import

manufacturers, which this year included offerings from Chevrolet, Ford, GMC, Mazda, and Toyota.

Dick Scott Dodge

BEST SALES • SERVICE • SELECTION

| | | |
|--|---|---|
| '97 STRATUS Auto, air, power locks, power windows, power steering, power brakes, electronic speed control, tilt, cruise, AM/FM/cassette. Stock #73021 Lease \$26144** 0 Down 24 Mo. per mo. Lease \$21747** \$1000 Down 24 Month per mo. | '97 DODGE RAM 1500 REG. CAB 4 speed auto, w/overdrive, air, power windows, premium decor group, body side molding, sight shields/front bumper, chrome wheels, floor carpeting, storage behind seat, sliding rear window, 5.9 liter MPI Magnum, speed control/tilt steering, power door locks, light package, AM/FM cassette, leather wrapped steering wheel, tires P245/75R16 A/S BSW, bright front/rear bumper w/step, molding, tailgate tip protection, stripe bodyside A line accent. Stock #77255. Lease \$26883** 0 Down 24 Mo. per mo. Lease \$22352** \$1000 Down 24 Month per mo. | '97 DODGE RAM 1500 4x2 CLUB CAB AM/FM stereo cassette, bright front bumper, dome, cargo, cmsl. lamps, speed control, power locks and windows, light group, tachometer, rear sliding window, LT245/75R16 tires, bright rear step bumper, air conditioning, tilt, slt. decor group, sight shields, chrome wheels. Stock #77212 Lease \$30623** 0 Down 24 Mo. per mo. Lease \$26061** \$1000 Down 24 Month per mo. |
| '97 CARAVAN 2.4L MPI 16V, 4 cylinder, air conditioning, dual horns, rear floor silencer pad, light group, 3 speed automatic, assist strap/pass. seat back, seven pass. seating, front pass. storage drawer. Stock #75281 Lease \$25445** 0 Down 24 Mo. per mo. Lease \$20923* \$1000 Down 24 Month per mo. | '97 AVENGER SPORT Pkg. 24V, air conditioning, AM/FM cassette, trunk cargo net, dual exterior power remote mirrors, 16" wheel group, front and rear floor mats, speed control, power door locks, one touch down driver window. Stock #72046. Lease \$28359** 0 Down 24 Mo. per mo. Lease \$23852** \$1000 Down 24 Month per mo. | '97 DODGE DAKOTA CLUB CAB 4 speed automatic, speed control, power windows/locks, premium door trim panel, light group, security group, sliding rear window, air conditioning, tilt, SLT decor group, 22 gal fuel tank, dual power mirrors, tachometer. Stock #76057 Lease \$30219** 0 Down 24 Mo. per mo. Lease \$25713** \$1000 Down 24 Month per mo. |

Dick Scott Dodge

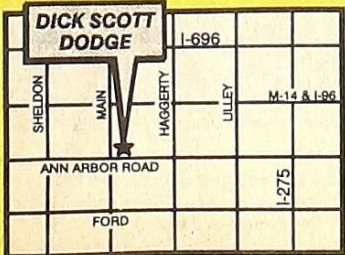
INTERNET QUOTES - 24 HOURS WWW.SCOTTDODGE.COM

313-451-2110 684 ANN ARBOR RD • PLYMOUTH
1 1/2 Miles West of I-275

Out-Of-Town Calls Accepted
Call our Pre-Approval 24 Hr. Line
1-800-573-3570

SALES HOURS:
Monday & Thursday 9-9
Tuesday • Wednesday • Friday 9-6
SERVICE HOURS:
Monday & Thursday 7am-8pm
Tuesday • Wednesday • Friday 7am-6pm

OPEN SATURDAY 10-3



*Just add tax, title, plates, documentation fee & destination. Rebates included where applicable. **Lease payment based on 24, 30, 34, or 48 mo. (as shown) closed end lease w/approved credit. Customer responsible for 1st payment, sec. deposit (month payment rounded up to the next \$50) down payment as shown, & new plates, 6% use tax added to payment, rebates where applicable. To get total lease payments multiply by 24, 30, 34, or 48 where applicable. Customer has option to purchase at lease end at a predetermined price. Mileage not to exceed 12,000 miles per year - 15¢ charge per mile for excess miles. Lessee responsible for excess wear & tear. Picture may not represent actual vehicle. Caravan prices reflect Caravan Loyalty Rebate. Customer must be eligible for program.

Wayne wins place in semi-finals

They are back with a vengeance. Wayne Memorial denied a coveted Class A state crown for the last three years will have an opportunity to redeem themselves this week-end.

Wayne behind the outstanding performances of twins Lorenzo and Lavelle Guess slaughtered East Lansing 86-66 in the quarter finals of the state basketball finals held at Lansing Eastern Field House before a standing room only crowd.

Wayne Coach Chuck Henry reminded his team "it's not over yet. We were here before, we know what our goal is."

Team captain Lorenzo Guess turned in a superlative performance as he drilled in a game high of 24 points. His twin brother, Lavelle, came through with 18.

FAITHWAY BAPTIST SCHOOLS

2020 Packard Rd., Ypsilanti
(313) 483-8551

- *Traditional Classroom Approach
- *Excellent Teacher-Student Ratio
- *Statewide Competitive Sports
- *Grades: Kindergarten through 12
- *Strong reading & phonics programs
- *Extended Care Program available before & after schools hours

*FULL DAY KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS
FOR K-4 & K-5

FAITHWAY BAPTIST DAYCARE

- *Large, licensed facility
- *Infants - 4 years old
- *Open 5:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

CALL FOR A BROCHURE OR SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT

WOODLANDS ALL NEW FACILITY GOLF COURSE

Panoramic View Overlooking Golf Course
Complete Banquet Facility

- Up to 300 People • Customized Menus • Carry Out Service Available

Weddings • Meetings • Conferences

Palm Sunday Brunch March 23rd

Adults \$9.95 • Children \$4.95 • Kids under 5 FREE

For Reservations Call: 313-729-4477

39670 Ecorse Road • Van Buren Twp., MI • 1/4 Mile E. of I-275

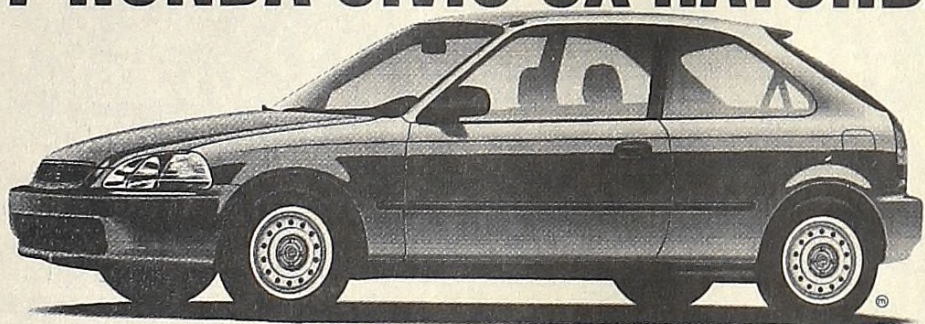
Grill Room Open for Lunch Mon.-Fri.

10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



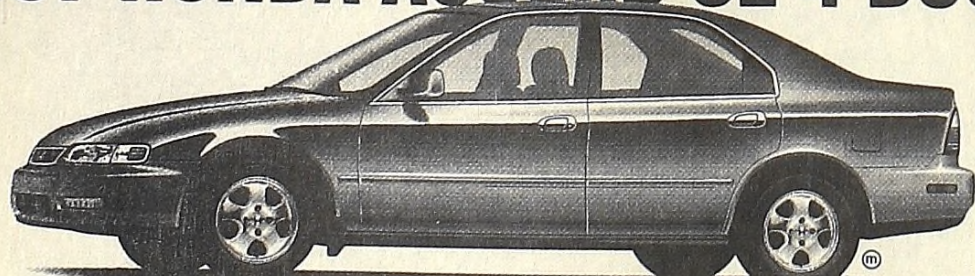
MARCH Madness Sale

1997 HONDA CIVIC CX HATCHBACK



\$10,391⁰⁰ + Tax*

1997 HONDA ACCORD SE 4 DOOR



Auto, w/keyless entry, alarm, power roof, Gold package, and much more!!

24 month lease • 12,000 miles a year

\$199⁹⁹ + Tax**

SUBURBAN HONDA

15 E. Michigan Avenue (313)
Ypsilanti, MI 48197

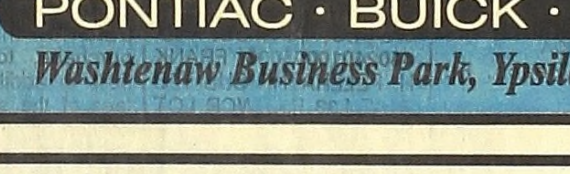
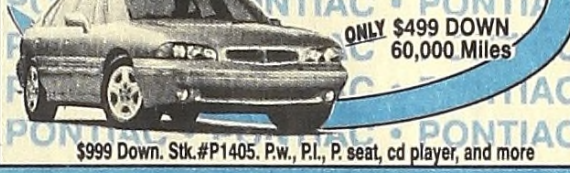
483-0323

*To get complete price, add doc. fee, tax, title & plate fee. **Due at lease inception: 1st payment, security deposit, \$1,500 cap. cost, acquisition fee, tax, title & plate fee.

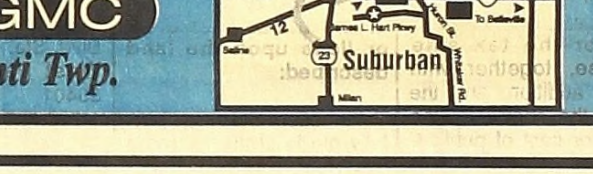
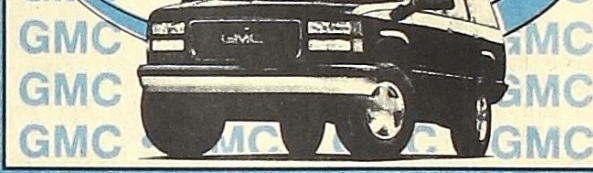
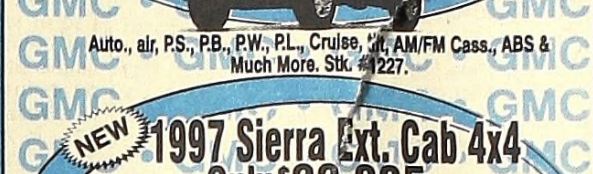
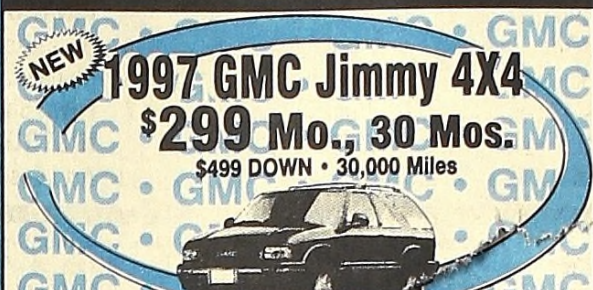
BIG savings on all models

See Sales Person's for additional Details

PONTIAC



GMC



Suburban

PONTIAC • BUICK • GMC

Washtenaw Business Park, Ypsilanti Twp.

Easy Access off I-94



BUICK

SIMPLY ELEGANT

WAYNE & WASHTENAW COUNTY'S NEWEST
& LARGEST BUICK DEALERSHIP IS NOW OPEN

All New '97 Buick Century

Only **\$279/mo.**
\$949 Down

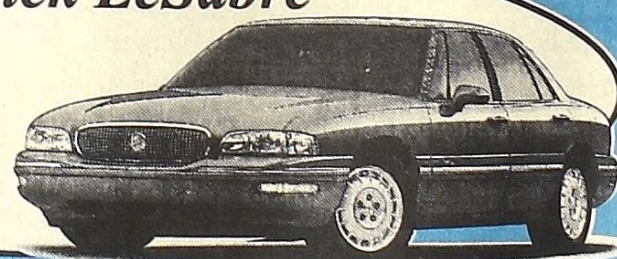


#B1785

1997 Buick LeSabre

\$299/mo.
\$1995 Down

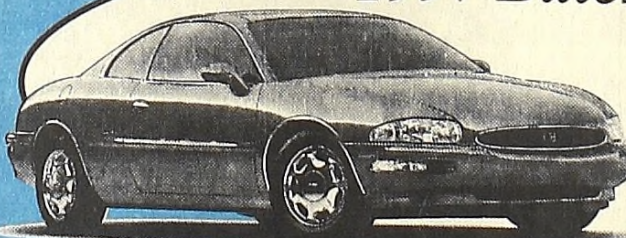
48 mo, 48,000 mile lease



1997 Buick Riviera

\$399/mo.
\$1995 Down

30 mo, 30,000 mile lease



1997 Park Avenue

\$399/mo.
\$1995 Down

36 mo, 36,000 mile lease



Suburban

PONTIAC • BUICK • GMC

Washtenaw Business Park, Ypsilanti Twp.

We are located just South of Ypsilanti's Huron St. Exit off I-94.
(Directly across from the Marriott and Huron Golf Course) at 444
James L. Hart Pkwy. in the Washtenaw Business Park.

313-483-0322

WWW.Suburban-GM.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attorneys.....7
Auction.....59
Card of Thanks.....3
Coming Events.....10
Entertainment.....8
Funeral Directory.....1
In Memoriam.....2
Legals-Notices.....6
Lost and Found.....9
Personals.....5

AUTOMOTIVE

Antiques & Classic Cars.....116
Auto Accessories.....114
Autos for Sale.....115
Auto Repairs.....119
Autos Wanted.....121
Handicapped Vehicles.....118
Motorcycles.....120
Trucks-Vans.....117
Child Car.....33

Help Wanted.....32
Help Wanted Sales.....31
Situations Wanted.....35
Specialized Services.....34

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunity.....40
Money to Loan.....44
Pawn Shops.....43
Christmas Trees.....60
Farm Equipment & Supplies.....65

Music Lessons.....44
Private Instruction.....46
Schools.....47
MERCHANDISE
Antiques.....57
Building Materials.....62
Business & Office Equipment.....63
Christmas Trees.....60
Farm Equipment & Supplies.....65

Fuel.....66
Garden Plants & Supplies.....67
Garden Produce.....68
Lawn & Garden Supplies.....64
Machinery & Tools.....72
Miscellaneous Items.....61
Miscellaneous Sales.....60
Monuments & Cemetery Lots.....4
Musical Merchandise.....73
Sporting Goods.....74

Wanted to Buy.....82
PETS-LIVESTOCK
Animal Feed.....56
Pets-Supplies.....50
Poultry-Livestock.....54
Riding Horses-Stables.....55
REAL ESTATE
Acreage.....112
Business Property.....103
Condos & Townhouses for Sale.....107

Farms & Acreage.....104
House for Sale.....106
Income Property.....109
Lake & Resort.....108
Lots for Sale.....110
Mobile Homes-Lots.....105
Out of State Property.....111
Wanted Real Estate.....113
RECREATION
Aircraft.....78
Boats & Accessories.....75

R.V.'s.....77
Snowmobiles.....76
RENTALS
Apartments for Rent.....89
Banquet Halls.....93
Business Places for Rent.....92
Condos & Townhouses for Rent.....90
Cottages for Rent.....97
Duplexes for Rent.....88
Farms & Land for Rent.....94

Garages for Rent.....95
Houses for Rent.....96
Mobile Homes for Rent.....98
Mobile Home Lots for Rent.....99
Rooms for Rent.....87
Storage.....102
Wanted to Rent.....101
Will Share.....100

4. Monuments & Cemetery Lots

TWO CEMETERY lots at Michigan Memorial Sec Lakeview Gardens. Lots are on slope overlooking the lake. Both for \$2,000. 313-721-8043.

5 Personals

EARN HOME furnishings! Have a Home Interior Party. Call for more details 699-0306 anytime.

6 Legals Notices

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: James Hammons
Deed #1754A
Cert. #05255

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44009030273000 CARVER HOMES SUB T2S R9E L7S P17 TO 19 WCR LOT 273

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 4058-60 Durand, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$2,333.87 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,505.81 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PJR Special, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: James and Rosie Ballard
Deed #1773
Cert. #05640

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute

proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44022010734000 WESTWOOD SUB OF VAN ALSTINE FARM T2S R10E L40 P29, 30 WCR LOT 734 ALSO S 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 26942 Norfolk, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$2,546.76 Taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,825.14 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Holdco, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: John Lawrence
Deed #1775
Cert. #05645

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44022010755000 WESTWOOD SUB OF VAN ALSTINE FARM T2S R10E L40 P29, 30 WCR LOT 755 ALSO S 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 26642 Norfolk, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$1,608.21 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,417.32 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Holdco, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Henry and Alice Pelichet
Deed #1778
Cert. #05655

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within

6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44022010836001 WESTWOOD SUB OF VAN ALSTINE FARM T2S R10E L40 P29, 30 WCR LOT 836 EXC E 10 FT THEREOF ALSO E 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 3434 John Daly, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$2,012.57 Taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,023.86 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Pneco, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Joseph and Veronica Stephens and Household Finance Corporation III
Deed #1781
Cert. #05675

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44023020204000 ASSESORS INKSTER PLAT NO. 6 T2S R10E P47 WCR LOT 204

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 26131 Notre Dame, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$2,574.43 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,866.65 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Prime Capital, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Crosby Investment Company
Deed #1782A
Cert. #05702

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44024010050000 FRANK H. FELLRATHS SUB T2S R10E L33 P58 WCR LOT 5

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 3742 Beach Daly, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$2,612.25 Taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,923.38 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PJR Special, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Melvin Jones
Deed #1787A
Cert. #05767

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44024030338000 LUKAS-ZEWICZ DEARBORN SUB NO. 1 T2S R10E L58 P98 WCR LOT 338 ALSO S 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 26200 Stanford, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$1,908.60 Taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,867.90 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PJR Special, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Nancy Murphy, Lacy and Julia Hill and Household Finance Corporation III
Deed #1788
Cert. #05791

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44025010232002 GREATER DEARBORN SUB T2S R10E L55 P62 WCR W 2.50 FT OF LOT 232 ALSO LOT 233 AND E 2.50 FT OF LOT 234 ALSO S 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 26904 Dartmouth, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$1,778.49 Taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,672.74 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Fone Corp.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
1-800-528-4272

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Fernando and Michelle Perez and Donna Garduno

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon th land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deeds issued for the land.

You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication cost shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of

an action together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings of possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID # 80075990018000 19B2B2A1B THE EAST 60 FT. OF THE WEST 240.28 FT OF THE SW 1/4 OF SEC. 19. 0.28 ACRE

This is an improved residential property. Property address: 28050 Wabash Rd., Romulus.

Amount Paid: \$2,593.55 for 1991 Taxes. Tax Sale #7741
Amount Paid: \$2,624.44 for 1992 Taxes. Tax Sale #7608

Amount necessary to redeem: \$7,826.99 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

Publish: March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997
March 27, 1997
April 3, 1997

James C. & Marilyn Radford
14651 Hannan Rd.
Romulus, MI 48174

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land described:

TAKE NOTICE: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deed or deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service and/or cost of publication of the notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or charge. If payment as described in this notice is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of the land: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, City of Romulus, Beverly Acres Sub Lot 1 80-012-01-0001-000

Amount Paid: \$408.57
Deed #7302
Amount Due: \$617.86 PLUS SHERIFF AND PUBLICATION FEES
Tax for the year 1991

Ottaco, Inc.
P.O. Box 4010
East Lansing, MI 48826

To: Percy Young, Spouse of Percy Young, Julia Cleveland, unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land above described according to Wayne County records.

This is an improved residential parcel.

Publish: Feb. 27, 1997
March 6, 1997
March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Tuesday, March 25, 1997 at 10:00 am at Westland Service Towing, 37501 Cherry Hill, Westland, MI, County of Wayne, Michigan, a public sale of the following vehicles will be held:
1984 Honda Accord 4 dr.
1HGAD7420EA001200

1987 Chevy Celebrity 4 dr.
1G1AW51R4H6217677
Also on Tuesday, March 25, a public auction will be held at Westland Car Care, 6375 Hix Road, Westland, MI, County of Wayne at 11:00AM where the following vehicles will be up for sale:
1986 Ford Tempo 4 dr.
2FABP23X3GB207411
1985 Chevy Cavalier 4 dr.
1G1JD69P6FJ210299
1990 Ford Tempo 4 dr.
2FAPP36X1LB142480
1996 Pontiac Sunfire 4 dr.
1G2JB52T11T7577350
1984 Ford Escort 2 dr.
1FABP0421EW105463
1980 Oldsmobile Cutlass 4 dr.
3R69AA2441404
1986 Ford Aerostar
1FTCA14U1GZB05066
1991 Ford Thunderbird 2 dr.
1FAPP6048MH175366
1985 Chevy Cavalier SW
1G1JD35P4FJ134280
1982 Oldsmobile Cutlass 4 dr.
1G3AR69A6CM567951
1985 Oldsmobile Cutlass 4 dr.
1G3AJ19E7FD302053
Publish: March 20, 1997

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Wednesday, April 2, 1997 at 8:30 am at J & M Towing, 8964 Inkster Road, Romulus, County of Wayne, Michigan, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

1988 Chevrolet 2 dr.
1G1JC1112JJ245945
1986 Oldsmobile 4 dr.
2G3AM19R0G9386001
1981 Dodge 2 dr.
1B3BK41DXBC219207
1986 Plymouth 2 dr.
1P3BM44C0GD135653
1986 Oldsmobile 2 dr.
1G3GR47A2GP311005
1982 Buick 2 dr.
1G4AT27G9CK409032
1986 Mercury 4 dr.
1MEBP76X8GK624739
1987 Pontiac 4 dr.
2G2AF51R7H9209089
1987 Pontiac 4 dr.
1G2HX5134HW222476
1985 Mercury 4 dr.
2MEBP95F5FX676023
1980 Pontiac 2 dr.
2J37AA2544882
1983 Oldsmobile 2 dr.
1G3AC7704DK327215
1983 Ford TK
1FTDE14Y0DHB88356
1988 Gdan Trl
1GRAA9622JB140741
1969 Chevrolet 2 dr.
131117A124848
1985 Ford 4 dr.
1FABP3698FW370099
1986 Mazda 4 dr.
JM1BF2223G0107247
1983 Oldsmobile 2 dr.
1G3AY37Y4DM759601
1984 Chevrolet 2 dr.
1G1AP871EL180119
1986 Ford 4 dr.
1FABP22X1GK139973
1984 Dodge Van

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Wednesday, April 2, 1997 at 8:30 am at J & M Towing, 8964 Inkster Road, Romulus, County of Wayne, Michigan, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

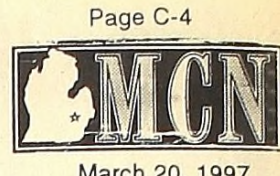
1988 Chevrolet 2 dr.
1G1JC1112JJ245945
1986 Oldsmobile 4 dr.
2G3AM19R0G9386001
1981 Dodge 2 dr.
1B3BK41DXBC219207
1986 Plymouth 2 dr.
1P3BM44C0GD135653
1986 Oldsmobile 2 dr.
1G3GR47A2GP311005
1982 Buick 2 dr.
1G4AT27G9CK409032
1986 Mercury 4 dr.
1MEBP76X8GK624739
1987 Pontiac 4 dr.
2G2AF51R7H9209089
1987 Pontiac 4 dr.
1G2HX5134HW222476
1985 Mercury 4 dr.
2MEBP95F5FX676023
1980 Pontiac 2 dr.
2J37AA2544882
1983 Oldsmobile 2 dr.
1G3AC7704DK327215
1983 Ford TK
1FTDE14Y0DHB88356
1988 Gdan Trl
1GRAA9622JB140741
1969 Chevrolet 2 dr.
131117A124848
1985 Ford 4 dr.
1FABP3698FW370099

Classified

CLASSIFIED DEADLINES

THURSDAY EDITION: 3:00 p.m. Tuesday
SUNDAY EDITION: 2:00 p.m. Friday

729-3300



March 20, 1997

697-9191

M I C H I G A N C O M M U N I T Y N E W S P A P E R S

against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, John Casoglos, 48775 Gyde, Canton, MI 48187, or to both the independent personal representative and the Wayne County Probate Court, Detroit, Michigan, 48226 within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

Richard B. Weinberg,
P22103

3151 S. Wayne Rd.
Wayne, MI 48184
313-722-5300
Publish: Feb. 20, 1997

THE STOREROOM located at 40600 Michigan Ave. at I-275, Canton, Michigan 48188 will hold a sale on April 12, 1997 at 10:30 a.m. to satisfy the lien against the following tenants unless the liens are satisfied before the sale date:

Name: James Cornils
Unit: 204 - Size: 10 X 10
Items: Books, shelves, table, vacuum cleaner, boxes, personal belongings.

Name: Robert A. Grissom
Unit: 216A - Size: 5 X 10
Items: Tires, ramps, tri-

pods, projector, coffee maker, walker.

Name: Darryl Hysell
Unit: 610 - Size: 10 X 15
Items: Toys, speakers, baby bed, play pen, stroller, air conditioner, boxes, personal belongings.

Name: Thomas Bowie
Unit: 811 - Size: 10 X 10
Items: Couch, chair, entertainment center, dresser, end tables, boxes, vacuum cleaner, personal belongings.

Name: James Cornils
Unit: 1032 - Size: 10 X 25
Items: Couch, chairs, boxes and boxes, bags and bags, personal belongings.

Name: Nellie Browning
Unit: 1110 - Size: 10 X 15
Items: Stove, boxes, chairs, table, bed, personal belongings.

Name: David C. Rickett
Unit: 1122 - Size: 10 X 20
Items: Snow blade, row bar, 2 engines, tires, snowmobile, car parts.

The contents of these units will be available for inspection between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on the day before the sale of the goods stored. On the date and hour of the stated sale date the goods will be sold to person/firm which has offered the most money for

the items stored in the unit. SOLD ONLY BY THE UNIT NOT BY THE PIECE. The sale will be held at The Storeroom Self-Storage Center.
Publish: March 13, 1997
March 20, 1997

9. Lost & Found

FOUND, MERRIMAN/KING Rd. area, female, 3 or 4 mo. old part Terrier, tan/brown w/black on long tail, black collar. Well taken care of house dog. 942-9519.

FOUND, WILDWOOD Area, female, recently had pups, white w/brown spots, housebroken, loves kids. 722-3251.

LOST: 3-8-97, John Hix/Cherry Hill, Westland. Siberian Husky, no collar, white/black/gray. Please call Mary at 326-2446.

LOST: COCKATIEL Bird, gray with orange spot on each cheek. Named Tweety. Lost March 16 from Florence/Beach Daly area in Inkster. Call Darlene, 278-0309.

32. Help Wanted

BARTENDER/ WAITRESS

Apply in person, Andy's Town Lounge, 26660 Michigan Ave., 1 1/2 miles W. of Telegraph.

\$1000'S POSSIBLE typing. Part Time. At Home. Toll Free (1) 800-218-9000 ext. T-7514 for Listings.

ANN ARBOR AREA Variety Food Services has openings for a manager, catering help, a lead employee. We offer a competitive salary, medical, dental and 401K Plan for consideration. Please forward a resume to Variety Food Services, Washenaw Community College, C/O Tim Schwartz, 4800 E. Huron River Dr., P.O. Box D-1, Ann Arbor, MI 48106 or call Tim at 313-677-5065.

ATTENTION Position available with rapidly expanding newspaper in our circulation department. Work 2 days per week. Positions available in Wayne, Westland, Canton, Inkster, Romulus, and Belleville. Call 729-4000 between 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. please ask for Rachael for more information.

AUTO PORTERS

Full time entry level opening available today. Diploma or GED, Mich. State Drivers License required. Excellent advancement opportunities. Call 810-205-2830 or Fax, 810-205-2851.

BARTENDERS AND WAITRESSES Needed at DJ's Quarterback Lounge, 313-721-2630.

BECOME A CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT Classes held in your neighborhood. All interested individuals call Belle Woods Continuing Care Center, Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm, 313-697-8051.

CANTON SOFTBALL CENTER Is getting ready to open for its 1997 season! We are currently hiring energetic individuals for the positions of **GATE ATTENDANTS and OUTDOORS MAINTENANCE.** Please apply in person at 46555 W. Mich. Ave., Canton, btwn. 2pm -6pm. 313-483-5600 ext. 5.

CITY OF WAYNE Townhouse community is looking for a maintenance person. The ideal Person should be hardworking and possess knowledge in drywall, electrical, plumbing, etc. Great benefits. Please send resume to: Maintenance/Manager, 28545 Orchard Lake Rd., Suite A, Farmington Hills, MI 48334.

CLEANER \$7/hr., part/full time. The Cleaning Co. 313-525-7290.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Spectrum Community Services is now accepting applications for people to provide quality support services for persons with developmental disabilities. Applicants should be courteous, responsible and team oriented. Must be 18 years old, possess an unrestricted MI Drivers License and meet other hiring qualifications. Starting wage, \$6.70 per hour untrained, \$6.90 per hour trained. Please call 313-663-7319 or 313-665-1152. EOE

COOK

The Advance Nursing Center has an opening for an experienced cook/kitchen manager. The applicant must have institutional cooking experience, preferably in long term care or hospital. Competitive wage and benefit package, vacation, holiday and sick pay. Call 278-7272 for appointment.

DIRECT CARE

To work in AIS facility. All shifts available. Full & part time. (313) 699-2122, Belleville area. 1-313-584-7118. 537-9058, Redford area.

DIRECT CARE WORKER, full time position in Wayne, Westland. \$6.50 to start. 728-2821.

CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

Expanding company in the Dearborn Heights area seeking Customer Service Representatives. Excellent phone skills, ability to type and operate 10-key calculator and call center experience helpful. Full-time and part-time hours available. Call TODAY 810-988-0287 or Fax resume to 810-649-1888.

DELIVERY AGENT. Belleville area for Friday delivery of Tradin' Times. Call 810-474-1800, Ext. 307 or 308.

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Variety of shifts available. \$6.30 per hour. Call 10am-3pm, Belleville, 699-6543 or 699-3808.

DIRECT CARE WORKERS

Wanted for new home opening very soon. All shifts available. Trained/untrained workers acceptable. Call Mon.-Fri., 8-4, 313-467-7527.

DIRECT CARE Staff for Romulus area. \$6.50 to \$6.75 per hour. No experience necessary. Career advancement, full benefits, full and part time, afternoons, midnights and weekends. Call 810-674-5862.

DIRECT CARE WORKER

Mature, dependable people needed with drivers license. 728-8797.

DIRECTOR OF NURSING

Position now available for downriver long-term care provider. We're seeking a dynamic RN with strong leadership and organizational skills. Long term care experience required. We offer great salary, medical/dental plan, 3 week paid vacation, 401K. Send resume or fax to: Tendercare Manor, 15400 Trenton Rd., Southgate, MI 48195, fax: 313-884-0851.

DRIVER/LOCAL Driver needed. Must have CD/A license. Should have semi/flat bed experience. Earning approximately \$500 per week. Steady year round job with a chance to advance. 810-559-7744.

EARN HOME furnishings! Have a Home Interior Party. Call for more details 699-0306 anytime.

FULL AND PART Time positions avail. for group homes in Belleville, Wayne, Canton and Northville. Trained/start \$6.55, Coordinator positions, \$6.80. Paid benefits. Call Paula, 427-0878.

FUNDRAISING IDEAS

Earn extra money selling subscriptions to your local paper. The more you sell, the more you earn. For more information call Rachael at 729-4000.

GENERAL LABOR

Westland Factory Full Time Permanent Jobs
1st SHIFT 8am-8pm
2nd SHIFT 8pm-8am
WORK 3 DAYS/OFF 3 DAYS

Inspection and Packaging Positions
No Experience Necessary
Lightweight Work
5.75/hr to start-6.25/hr in 90 days

Weekly Paychecks
Benefits Available on Hire

Call Borg-Warner Services
313-542-9342

HARD WORKING, PEOPLE oriented person needed for rental assistance. Good hours, pay and benefits. Call Mark at 313-981-0240.

HELP WANTED

Men/women earn \$480 weekly assembling circuit boards/electronic components at home. Experience unnecessary, free training. Immediate openings your local area. Call 1-602-680-7891 EXT H3641.

Business & Service Directory

Appliance Installation

GAS WATER HEATERS,
STOVES, DRYERS,
DISHWASHERS,
ETC.
721-5811

Appliance Repair

APPLIANCE ONE OUTLET
• Sales/Service
• Payment Plans
• Good Prices •
1912 Venoy Rd.
Westland
(Palmer Plaza)
467-8400

Asphalt Paving

BELLEVILLE ASPHALT
• Driveways
• Parking Lots
• Seal Coating
Free Estimates
699-6475

Carpet

Carpet Sales & Service Home Service
Free Estimates
(313)728-6169

Ceramic Tile

VAL • TILE

Ceramic tile distributors
Wholesale Prices
Installation Available
Expert Service
313-981-4360

Chimneys

READY MAKE II
Hello! New to area. Experienced in all areas. Home, commercial & new move in prep. FREE on site estimate
313-455-7713

HOUSE KEEPING SERVICE

FREE ESTIMATES
REASONABLE RATES
CALL ANN
729-0464

Collision Repair

BURKOP'S COLLISION
112 Davis • Belleville
699-3641
• Body & Fender Repair
• Complete Glass Installation
• Import & Domestic
Owner - Alan Arndt

Computers

Want help setting up your computer?

Want help learning how to use it?

Want help installing & programming your software?

Want to upgrade your system?

CALL MARC AT 313-641-8852

Construction

SHORT CONSTRUCTION
With Us Its One-Stop Shopping
Because There's Nothing Too Big or Too Small
Cause We Do It All
Come Shop With Us!
Licensed & Insured
(313) 841-4441

LITTLE'S CONSTRUCTION INC.
Roofing, siding, gutters
An Additions Specialist
Free Estimates
Licensed/Insured
313-326-9437

Electrical Contractors

YOUTSEY ELECTRIC
942-1136 483-4857
Romulus Ypsilanti
Residential/Commercial/Industrial Code Work

BRATCHER ELECTRIC

RESIDENTIAL COMMERCIAL RE-MODEL NEW SERVICES
All Electrical Supplies Available
Complete Customer Satisfaction
722-0037

Entertainment

DJ SOUNDS
(Specializing in CD's)
ANY OCCASION
• Karaoke
• Fog Machine
• Lights
BOB KLIEMANN
(313) 928-9639

PARTY MAGIC

• BIRTHDAY • SCHOOLS
• ANNIVERSARY • CHURCHES
Jim Fitzsimmons Master Magician
Call
461-7469 or GO1-SHOW

Finish Carpentry

Finish Carpentry
• Stairways • Cabinets
• Doors • Moldings
• Wood floors • Bathrooms
• Mantels • Wainscot

513-8076
Mich. Licensed Builder
Marc George

Heating & Cooling

HEATING • AIR CONDITIONING
Sales • Service
Installations
Humidifiers • Duct Work
Boilers
Low Rates! Lic. & Ins.
Financing Avail.
313-937-0785

TODAY'S MODERN CONCEPTS
Heating/Cooling Air Conditioning
75,000 BTU Furnace
Permit & Warranty \$1,300
David Woody 697-2128

Heating & Cooling

AROMA AIR
Heating, Cooling & Window Air Conditioner Serving Metro Detroit area & suburbs • Washer & Dryer repair • Licensed
It's hard to beat our prices!
Get 2 estimates & call us!
Furnace Sales, Service & Installation
EMERGENCY # 277-0134
PAGER # 780-0159

Heating & Cooling

Central Custom Heating & Cooling
• Residential • Commercial
• Service • Installation
• Duct Work • Financing Available
Free Estimates
Licensed & Insured
699-5129

Insulation

SAVE \$\$\$- Ask me how!!
Neubecker Insulation.
282-0474



Janitorial

DJs Janitorial Service, Inc.
Variety of services provided
Family owned & Operated
Competitive Rates
CALL 729-3191
(313) 522-4578

LOONEY'S JANITORIAL SERVICE

"We clean just about everything"
Lowest prices in town.
Also hauling & painting
724-8429 Cell 693-8138
Pager 708-1473

Landscaping

LANDSCAPES UNLIMITED
A Complete Line of Service
Backhoe & Tractor Work
Hauling Sand & Gravel
27301 Sumpter Rd.
Belleville, MI 48111
(313) 606-8483

MICHIGAN LAWN MANAGEMENT

Your lawn service professional.
We will cut, trim, edge and clean up your lawn on a weekly basis.
"At a price you can afford."
16 Years of Satisfying Clients
(313) 461-9729

Handyman

ALL TYPES
New & Repair Work
Retired Man and Sons.
471-2600
38 yrs. of home repair experience.

YOU BUY- I INSTALL

• Plaster • Drywall
• Remodeling • Painting
• Ceramic Installation/Repair
FREE ESTIMATES
Don
(313) 729-3742

Handyman

ELECTRICIAN/HANDYMAN
• Remodeling •
• New Construction •
• Service Changes •
• Home & Office Repair •
24 HOUR EMERGENCY
Rick
427-8141

EXPERIENCED IN

• Carpentry
• Cement Work
• Painting
Interior/Exterior

No Job Too Small
Ron 461-1951

Manufactured Housing

Little Valley
"Let me help you find your dream home!"
David L. Runyon
Sales Representative
313-753-0910

Mobile Painting

TURBOSHINE POWERWASH & PAINTING

• Interior-Exterior
• Quality Paints & Stains
• Decks Wash & Seal
• Alum & Vinyl Siding
• Air Duct Cleaning
• Free Estimates—
Fully Insured
\$30 Off with ad
414-9333
Commercial & Residential

Moving & Hauling

D & J MOVING & HAULING
Clean-up, hauling, disposal of misc. items and debris.
We haul anything.
SMALL LOCAL MOVES
WESTLAND
(313) 729-1222

LOONEY'S HAULING & CLEANING

Will haul anything
Junk Metal, Appliances, Misc.
"You Call-We Haul"
also Janitorial Cleaning
724-8429 Cell 693-8138
Pager 708-1473

Musical Equipment

Guitars - Amps
Basses - Banjos,
Lap Steels • P.A.'s
• Mirror Balls
• Pin Spots
• Neon Lightstix
• Temporary Tattoo's
VICTOR MUSIC STUDIO

2146 S. Wayne Rd.
Westland
(1 Mile N. of Mich. Ave.)
722-9050

Painting

INTERIOR/EXTERIOR
Painting,
Drywall Repair,
Power wash decks,
sidewalks & driveways
15 Years Experience.
Call Jim At:
(313) 467-5686

NIKKI'S Smiling Finishes

Interior/Exterior
Drywall repair & painting
(313)392-2065

First Quality Custom Painting
Commercial-Residential
15 YEARS EXPERIENCE
Ralph Starr, Owner
Phone:
313-595-8254
E-Mail: Thestarrman@msn.com

Paving

DJ's Paving
Driveways & Parking Lots
Sealcoating & Patching
FREE ESTIMATES
397-0811

Plastering

PLASTER & PAINTING
We take care of all your wall & ceiling needs including custom textured ceilings. Professional, clean repairs.
Plastering by Dave, Inc.
Phone (313) 249-5734

COOK'S PLASTERING

Specializing in
DUST FREE
Plaster & Drywall Repair
• Interior/Exterior Painting
• Texture Ceiling
• Senior Citizen Discount
• All Work Guaranteed
FREE ESTIMATES
(313)946-5522

FREE ESTIMATES
(313)946-5522

Plumbing

MIKE HART'S PLUMBING & HOME IMPROVEMENT
• Free Estimates
• Lowest Price in Town
• All Work Guaranteed
• Will beat any written estimate
• No Job too Small
• Electronic Sewer & Drain Cleaning
(313) 721-6395

Plumbing

CARTER BLDG. & MAINT.
Independent/Plumbing/Insured
MASTER PLUMBER
Low Rates-All Plumbing
NEW OR REPAIR
Sewers/drains cleaned
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED
CALL DAN
(313) 676-8497
Pager 1-800-518-1260

Painting

INTERIOR/EXTERIOR
Painting,
Drywall Repair,
Power wash decks,
sidewalks & driveways
15 Years Experience.
Call Jim At:
(313) 467-5686

NIKKI'S Smiling Finishes

Interior/Exterior
Drywall repair & painting
(313)392-2065

First Quality Custom Painting
Commercial-Residential
15 YEARS EXPERIENCE
Ralph Starr, Owner
Phone:
313-595-8254
E-Mail: Thestarrman@msn.com

Roofing

J & D Roofing
Residential & Flat Roof Specialists
We also do repairs:
• Siding • Gutters • Decks
Will beat any written Estimates, Guaranteed
(Senior Citizens Discount)
Call 722-3102
For Free Estimate!!

Sewer Cleaning

TOTAL PIPE MAINTENANCE, INC.
Licensed & Insured
Sewer & Drain Cleaning
Closed Circuit TV Inspection
Hydro Jetting
24 HOUR SERVICE
513-7393



Specialized Services

DO YOU NEED A RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST SOMEONE? PROTECT YOURSELF WITHOUT HAVING TO TAKE OFF WORK - OR LEAVE YOUR HOME WE CAN HELP FOR ONLY \$35(MOST CASES) CALL 1-800-707-7067 OR 1-313-438 2504 (IN METRO AREA) DO IT NOW!

Tax Preperation

DON'T PAY A PENNY MORE THAN YOU'RE LEGALLY OBLIGATED TO...
Let me put my 11 years experience to work for you
313-721-7741
313-708-1385 pager

Top Soil

TOP SOIL SAND & GRAVEL

Classified

CLASSIFIED DEADLINES

THURSDAY EDITION: 3:00 p.m. Tuesday
SUNDAY EDITION: 2:00 p.m. Friday

729-3300



March 20, 1997

697-9191

GENERAL OFFICE HELP WANTED

Dependable, responsible person needed to do filing, typing and general office work. Please apply in person. 1647 Inkster Rd., Garden City.

HHA'S/CNA'S

All shifts-all areas. Work for the best! Excellent pay and benefits. 313-455-5683.

HI LO or TECHS

Now accepting applications for Hi Lo Drivers or Machine Technicians. If you like "hands on" work and are quality conscious, then apply today!

We offer:

- *Full benefit package and competitive wages
- *Numerous shift operation
- *Clean Environment
- *Opportunity for Advancement
- *Growth Industry-Plastics

Apply M-F, 9am-4pm at 1351 Hix (E. of I-275, S. of Ford) Westland, MI 48185. EOE

HOUSEKEEPER/SITTER needed in our Belleville smoke free home. Prefer 2pm-5pm, weekdays. 697-2818 after 6pm.

INSURANCE AGENT

Needed for established clientele. No experience necessary. Will train. Base plus commission and benefits. Call American General Life & Accident at 810-489-3911, ask for Joe. EOE

JANITORIAL CDL Drivers and Office Cleaners

Progressive growing building maintenance company has immediate full time and part time openings in Canton, Plymouth, Livonia, Belleville and Ann Arbor. Drug/alcohol free workplace. Benefits. Call for information, 313-421-9254.

LABORERS AND MACHINE OPERATORS

Needed for manufacturing company. Full time employment. Call 326-1602.

32. Help Wanted

Postal Jobs

\$12.68/hr. to start, plus benefits. Carriers, sorters, computer trainees, maintenance. Call today for application & information. 9 a.m.-9 p.m. 7 days

1-800-267-5715
ext. 30

32. Help Wanted

JOBS JOBS JOBS!!

EASTER HELP- Food service work during Easter. Romulus. All shifts. \$6.00. **PRODUCTION ASST.-** Ypsilanti. Light assembly and sorting. All shifts. \$7+/hr.

LABORERS- Romulus. Heavy lifting-steel parts. All shifts. Must have steel-toed boots. \$7.50+/hr. **EXPRESS SERVICES** 313-467-5450

MAINTENANCE Basic plumbing, painting, electrical, HVAC. Westhaven Manor Retirement Community, full time, good benefits. Please send resume or apply at 34601 Elmwood Ave., Westland, MI 48185. EOE

**MANAGERS
WANTED
Part Time
FOR BURGER KING.** Westland/Canton area. For interview call 313-416-8480, Ext. 16.

MECHANICALLY INCLINED

Person to service trucks and trailers at Cummings Dealer. Apply at 28601 Hildebrandt, Romulus.

NOW ACCEPTING applications for wait staff, bartenders and server assistants with experience. Apply within, Mon.-Fri., 9-5. W.C.C., 2955 Packard, Ypsilanti, MI 49197.

NOW HIRING

All positions. Inquire within: Bob Evans, 30987 Flynn Dr., Romulus. (Metro Airport Area).

NOW HIRING for personal care. Apply in person at American House, Westland, 1660 Venoy Rd., ask for Special Senior Care or for appointment, 467-6031, 9-5.

OFFICE ASSISTANT Full time. Computer, telephone, typing, sales, filing, good benefits. Please send resume or apply at: Westhaven Manor Retirement Community, 34601 Elmwood, Westland, MI 48185. EOE

PALLET NAILERS with roofing experience helpful for outdoor work in Downriver area. \$6.25 per hour to start. Overtime and chance to advance. 810-559-7744.

PART TIME Writer for some weeknight assignments and features. Send resume to: Joan Dyer-Zinner, P.O. Box 578, Wayne, MI 48184.

PART TIME, mature, Laundry and Dry Cleaning Attendant in Wayne. 721-3231.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Company in need of experienced apartment managers. Must have at least two years experience managing at least 200 units or more. Call 810-354-9900, Ext. 891 or fax resume to: 810-351-4888.

PHOTOGRAPHER for part time newspaper work. Send information on hours available and experience to Jan Dyer-Zinner, P.O. Box 578, Wayne, MI 48184.

PRODUCTION ASSISTANTS. Woodcraft Games located on 315 Airport Industrial Dr., Ypsilanti is now accepting applications for night shift. \$7 per hour with benefits. Apply between 8am-4pm, Mon.-Fri.

ROYAL EQUIPMENT and Supply Inc., a fast growing distributor in the car wash industry is seeking a qualified individual for maintenance and emergency technical service for the eastern part of Michigan. Qualified individual must possess an excellent mechanical and electrical background. Need own tools. Vehicle and benefits are available. Mail resume to: Royal Equipment & Supply Inc., 3180 Interstate Parkway, Kalamazoo, MI 49001.

RV TECH

Auto tech. experience or R.V. background, full time, rapid advancement, with office skills. HW Motor Homes, ask for Dan, 981-1535.

SALES ASSISTANT Will train. New home builder looking for responsible friendly person to assist in busy Westland Model Home. Positive attitude a must. Full or part time. Nancy, 810-855-4343.

SALES PERSON

Looking for full time sales help. Commission pay, full benefits. Experience not necessary, will train. Apply in person at: Art Van, 8300 Wayne Rd., Westland or call 425-9600, ask for Mr. Carleton.

SCHOOL HAUS CHILDREN'S Learning Center has immediate openings (Ages 2 wks-14 yrs).

*Transportation provided to and from local schools
*State funding accepted for those who qualify
*Professional curriculum for PRE-Kindergarten
*Add'l nursery opened/ (Daycare/Preschool est. for 20 years), M-F, 7:00-6:00, 313-561-4222.

SECURITY

Burns International Has immediate full and part time openings. Medical/Dental Benefits, paid vacations. Please apply in person Monday through Friday from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM at: 9309 Middlebelt Rd., (at Wick, next to McDonald's) 313-946-5151
Equal Opportunity Employer

STOCK HELP

Art Van Furniture needs entry level stock help. Apply now at: 8300 Wayne Rd., Westland, MI.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS CAREERS! The Michigan National Guard is looking for people who are interested in a career in telecommunications. We offer good pay, on the job training, retirement, college tuition assistance as well as other benefits. To see if you qualify call SFC Mark Trim or SSG Tompkins, 313-482-2863.

THE ADVANCE Nursing Center has a full time opening on the 3-11 shift for a licensed nurse. The successful candidate will possess good supervisory skills, be a self starter and have some skilled nursing facility experience. We are offering a competitive wage & benefit package including health, dental, sick, vacation and holidays. Please call for appointment. 278-7272.

THE ADVANCE Nursing Center has a full time opening on the 11-7 shift for a licensed nurse. The successful candidate will possess good supervisory skills, be a self starter and have some skilled nursing facility experience. We are offering a competitive wage & benefit package including health, dental, sick, vacation and holidays. Please call for appointment. 278-7272.

33. Child Care

LICENSED MOTHER has openings in her caring Canton home. Lots of activities, field trips, low rates. 313-394-0980.

34. Specialized Services

ELECTRICIAN/ HANDYMAN

*Remodeling
*New Construction
*Service Changes
*Home & Office Repair

24 HR. EMERGENCY
231-AMT-RICK 333
427-3141

50. Pets & Supplies

NEOPOLITAN MASTIFFS - two adults, one male, one female. Wonderful pets - looking for a home together. \$500. 941-0535.

PUREBRED PUPPIES. Shar Pei. Males and females, shots and wormed. 941-0535.

Classified ads REALLY work!

Funeral Directory

Beams of Heaven Funeral Home

2707 S. Inkster Rd., Inkster, MI 48141
(313) 277-1005
Our Success is... "Love For God's Church, Love For God's People, And Past Performance."
ALL BURIAL POLICIES HONORED
FORTHOUTHT BURIAL INSURANCE AVAILABLE

Chapel of Chimes Funeral Home

4670 Inkster Rd., Westland, MI 48185
Office: (313) 295-2500 • Pager: (313) 803-2226
NOVELTY WILLIAMS - ADMINISTRATOR
DAWN A. HAMER - MANAGER

Crane FUNERAL HOME
36885 GODDARD
ROMULUS
941-9200
WILLIAM A. CRANE

**DAVID C. BROWN
FUNERAL HOME**
E. HURON RIVER DRIVE
David C. Brown, Mgr.
Belleville 697-4500

Harry J. Will Funeral Homes

Lents / Wayne Chapel
34567 Michigan Ave., Wayne, MI 48184
James Will (313) 721-5600 Kevin Bullock Tom Lynch

24 HOUR SERVICE • FAX 278-7314
The Penn Funeral Home
"The Funeral Home You Can Believe In"
JAMES H. PENN & SON
3015 S. Inkster Rd.
Inkster, MI 48141
278-6300

UHT FUNERAL HOME
Harold Rediske Jr., Director
Michael Coffeen Michael Raulio Gerald Eicholtz

35400 Glenwood Road
Westland 721-8555

Vermeulen Funeral Home

2 LOCATIONS TO SERVE YOU
VERMEULEN FUNERAL HOME
Plymouth, MI (313) 457-2550
VERMEULEN MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME
Westland, MI (313) 375-1500

59. Auctions

**BRAUN & HELMER
AUCTION SERVICE**
Lloyd R. Braun
(313) 665-9646
Jerry L. Helmer
(313) 994-6309

60. Misc. Sales

HUGE MOVING Sale, March 21-22-23. Antiques in house and barns, glassware, household, tools, furniture, etc. 7854 Lilley Rd., Canton, MI 1 1/2 Mile S. of Ann Arbor Rd., or 1 1/2 mile N. of Ford Rd. (M-153). Terms-Complete payment day of sale. Cash or check with proper ID. Not responsible for accidents or items after sold.

HURON TRADE CENTER AND FLEA MARKET

210 E. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti. Seeking consignments and vendors of all types. Open Fri., 3pm-8pm, Sat. and Sun., 10am-6pm.

YWCA RUMMAGE Sale, Sat., March 22, 9am-3pm, 26279 Michigan Ave., between Beach Daly and John Daly, 561-4110. Lots of misc. items.

61. Misc. Items

BLEACHED WOOD, mirror top coffee and end table, Queen Ann legs. Originally \$475, asking \$175 for the two. Like new! Day - 669-5040. Eve. - 453-3486.

BRASS BED, queen, new in box, complete with Ortho set (in plastic). Cost, \$1000, sacrifice, \$325. 810-691-4468.

CANDLE LOVERS! Do you like to burn candles? Would you like to earn free candles and candle accessories? You can invite a few friends over for an evening of fun, and exciting candle care tips! For more info call Carol, 313-389-7180.
Mention this ad and receive item at 1/2 off

CARDIO GLIDE excellent condition, \$80, call 326-7684 before 3:00 p.m., no nights.

DAY BED, white with brass, complete with mattresses and pop-up trundle. New in box cost \$800, sell for \$300. 810-691-4468.

EUREKA EXPRESS vacuum, 5.0 HP, canister type on wheels, Sucktron control for bare floors or carpet, like new, \$30. Electro Voice sound caster, portable suitcase style speakers, 8" P.A. style, pair, \$45. Truck mirrors, west coast style, rear view, chrome, new pair, \$12. Commodore 64 keyboard, joy stick, power supply, \$10. Call Jatter answering machine, \$10. Mailing labels, computer rolls, 1200 labels, 8 rolls, white, \$50. Table lamp combo, brass base, \$10. Gold color frame Mona Lisa reproduction, 21x29, ready to hang, \$25. Maple dining room table and four chairs, good condition, \$300. 313-425-8365

KING SIZE Waterbed, 4 drawer pedestal, 2 sets of sheets, mirror in headboard, \$300. 595-8160.

MARTIAL ARTS uniform, child's medium, \$8.00. Large metal desk for office or study, 30" x 61". Kicker speakers for car. 697-9628.

SOFA, COUCH and loveseat, cream colored vinyl, less than 1 yr. old, and 1 bunk bed, \$750 or offer takes all. Single bed, \$125. 313-467-4851.

WASHERS, DRYERS, ranges, \$125 each. Refrigerators, \$200. All guaranteed. 697-7222.

64. Lawn & Garden Supplies

GRAVELY MOWER, 50 inch and other lawn equipment. Call 697-0449 for more information. Wood chipper, mulcher, vacuums, etc.

77. Recreational Vehicles

1975 FLEETWING, sleeps six, self contained, clean interior, needs some repair. \$550 or best offer. 467-4851

1985 MALLARD, 19', self contained, good condition in and out, full bath, sleeps 6. \$1100. 313-467-4851.

87. Rooms for Rent

AAA Deluxe Rooms HBO, refrigerator, low daily/weekly rates. Tel-96 Inn, 535-4100. Willow Acres Motel, 721-1220 or 326-2770.

DAILY/WEEKLY rates, kitchenette with fridge, stove, cable with new TV. Maplelawn, 728-9876.

DORM STYLE, includes laundry facilities, kitchen, private entrance, and utilities. Phone hook-up available. \$75-\$95/wk. Call Dan or Kim at 595-3232.

PRIVATE ROOM, shared house, cable, micro, laundry. \$65/wk. 721-0232, 1-800-243-9723.

88. Duplexes for Rent

WESTLAND-NORWAYNE Call for list of available 2 and 3 BR duplex's. Norplex Associates, 722-6444.

89. Apartments for Rent

**\$399 MOVES
YOU IN**
Spacious 1, and 2 BR apartments. 2 BR from \$605.

*Free Heat
*Free Water
*Extra Storage
*Huge Closets
*24 hr. Maintenance
*Dishwashers
*Central Air
*Outdoor Pool

**WAYNE FOREST
APARTMENTS**
326-7800

82. Wanted to Buy

INSTANT CASH

For old gold and diamonds and old watches and clocks

DILLON'S JEWELERS

1549 South Wayne Rd.
Westland, Mich. 48185
722-3839



Cadillac Memorial Gardens

Public Notice to All Veterans

FREE BURIAL SPACE

Our Veteran's Garden at Cadillac Memorial has been expanded and is being dedicated for veteran's, ex-service personnel and their families. You are entitled to burial space; proof of honorable discharge is required.

A limited number of spaces are available to veterans and their families. Therefore, immediate pre-registration is advisable. To receive other valuable veterans information, fill out and mail coupon below or call:

1-800-627-8060

34224 Ford Rd., Westland, MI 48185

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____
Branch of Service _____
Discharge Date _____

Obituaries

**BLANKERTZ, RICHARD
BLESER, ERIC L.
CHARBON, CHARLES M.
CHESBRO, GEORGE D.
FLYNN, MARILYN I.
GLADDEN, ELMER D.
MCGRUDER, JOHN
MCMICHAEL, EDITH
MODZELSKI, EVA
OESTREICH, JANET
RIES, CLARENCE
RUCKER, KEMUEL O.
RYMAN, TIMOTHY
VON OTTON, NELLIE**

CHESBRO, GEORGE D.
Age 84, of Wayne, passed away March 14, 1997. He is survived by wife, Anna Lee Chesbro and son, Jay Robert. Cremation rites were accorded. Arrangements by the Uht Funeral Home.

FLYNN, MARILYN I.
Age 57, of Wayne, passed away March 1, 1997. Dear wife of Ronald. Loving mother of Mark, Tina, Kimberly, Kelly and Dennis. Also survived by 1 brother and 5 sisters and 6 grandchildren. Funeral services through Harry J. Will Funeral Home Lents Chapel, 34567 Michigan Ave., Wayne. Interment at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West in Westland.

GLADDEN, ELMER D.
Age 42, of Wayne, passed away March 16, 1997. He is the son of George and the late Lucy Gladden. He is also survived by daughter, Melanie, son, Andrew, 2 brothers and 1 sister. Services were held March 18 at the Uht Funeral Home with interment at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

MCGRUDER, JOHN
Age 44, passed away March 2, 1997. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Pamela, 2 sons, John III and Julius, his mother, Fannie, 3 sisters and 1 brother. Arrangements by Penn Funeral Home with the services being held at Gethsamene Baptist Church.

MCMICHAEL, EDITH
Age 84, of Livonia (formerly of Inkster), passed away March 11, 1997. He is survived by sons, William and Frederick, daughters, Carol Dawn (David) Brown, Suzanne (David) Gregory and Patricia Ries, and sister Norma Jean Grishaber. Services were held March 15 at Crane Funeral Home. Cremation rites were accorded.

MODZELSKI, EVA
Age 80, of Belleville, passed away March 9, 1997.

OESTREICH, JANET
Age 61, of Westland, passed away March 11, 1997. Beloved wife of Richard. Loving mother of Duane, Timothy, Barbara, Susan and Dolores. Also survived by 2 brothers, 2 sisters, 13 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Services were held March 15 at the Uht Funeral Home with interment at Parkview Memorial Cemetery.

REJMAN, TIMOTHY
Age 43, of Belleville, passed away March 11, 1997. Dear son of Steve H. and Eleanor (Korgal) Rejman. Brother of Michael Rejman and Denise Grow. Services were held March 14 at David C. Brown Funeral Home. Cremation rites have been accorded.

RIES, CLARENCE
Age 78, of Romulus, passed away March 11, 1997. He is survived by sons, William and Frederick, daughters, Carol Dawn (David) Brown, Suzanne (David) Gregory and Patricia Ries, and sister Norma Jean Grishaber. Services were held March 15 at Crane Funeral Home. Cremation rites were accorded.

RUCKER, KEMUEL O.
Age 40, passed away March 7, 1997. He leaves behind one son, Kemuel, 2 daughters, Kimberly and Leandra, mother, Fayth, girlfriend, Melanie (Kitt), 1 brother, and 4 sisters. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home.

VON OTTON, NELLIE I.
Age 94, of Canton, passed away March 11, 1997. She is survived by son, Richard Von Otton, daughter, Clara Dallaire, 3 grandchildren, and 3 great grandchildren. Services were held March 15 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church with interment at Mt. Hope Cemetery. Arrangements by Vermeulen Trust 100 Funeral Home.

WILSON, GRACE
Age 79, of Wayne, passed away March 13, 1997. Beloved wife of the late Velbert Wilson. Loving mother of Kay, Bob, Bill, Al and Jim. Grandmother of 18 and great grandmother of 14. Services were held March 17 at Lents Chapel. Arrangements by Harry J. Will Funeral Home Lents Chapel.

CARRIERS WANTED



**IN: BELLEVILLE
CANTON
INKSTER
ROMULUS
WAYNE
WESTLAND**

**EARN MONEY
MAKE FRIENDS
HAVE FUN**



Delivering your local newspaper.



**FOR MORE
INFORMATION
CALL
RACHAEL
AT 729-4000**



Classified

CLASSIFIED DEADLINES

THURSDAY EDITION: 3:00 p.m. Tuesday
SUNDAY EDITION: 2:00 p.m. Friday

729-3300



Page C-6
MCN
March 20, 1997
697-9191

M I C H I G A N C O M M U N I T Y N E W S P A P E R S

BELLEVILLE, 2 BR apartment. \$525/mo., \$525 security deposit. 482-6103.

WESTLAND

Near Wayne Rd. Very sharp, newly decorated, carpet, appliances, vertical blinds, balcony, near shopping, quiet, cozy park-like setting. Free heat & water.
1 BR, \$470 722-9180
9-7 p.m.
Ask For Managers Special

WESTLAND - LARGE 2 BR apartment. Heat and water included. \$475 per month. Call now and receive 50% off first month's rent (with approved credit). Section 8 okay. 313-326-9008 or 313-721-6699.

WESTLAND, ATTRACTIVE, quiet building, 1 BR available. Cats OK. \$399/mo. 50% OFF FIRST MONTH'S RENT. 313-721-6699.

96. Houses for Rent

BELLEVILLE, COUNTRY One BR, \$350/mo. plus utilities, no pets. 699-5816.

INKSTER, 2 BR brick bi-level, stove, refrigerator, utility room with washer and dryer, fenced for pets. \$545.

RENTAL PROFESSIONALS (313) 513-RENT

RENT, 4 BR house, Canton Schools, elder couple or professionals. 313-453-1851.

ROMULUS, 2 BR, \$550/mo. plus utilities. 483-4857.

ROMULUS, 3 BR tri-level, 1+ bath, family room, new carpet, freshly painted, fenced yard. \$695.

RENTAL PROFESSIONALS (313) 513-RENT

WESTLAND, 3 BR brick ranch, basement, carpeted, ceiling fans, fenced yard for pets. \$720.

RENTAL PROFESSIONALS (313) 513-RENT

89. Apartments for Rent

Park Hill Apartments

1 & 2 BR apartments, with fully equipped kitchen/dishwasher & home storage, central air, laundry facilities, carports, clubhouse w/sparking pool. Families Welcome.

Located in Wayne on Venoy, 2 blocks North of Michigan Avenue.

326-0070

AN APARTMENT TRILOGY

(Just W. of I-275/I-94 Interchange near Metro Airport)

LIGHTHOUSE POINT Dare You to Compare from \$510 699-3555

BELLBRIDGE Gracious Surroundings from \$530 697-4343

ARCHWOOD A Triumph of Style from \$550 697-0100

All Feature: Microwaves, drapes or vertical blinds, dishwashers, balconies, club facilities, pools, tennis courts, exceptional architecture and landscaping.

All located in Belleville just off the I-94 N. Service Drive, 1/4 mile W. of Haggerty exit.

Open Weekdays 11-6, Weekends 11-5

*Executive Furnished Units Available

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

Affordable excellence by SLATKIN CORPORATION

WESTLAND, 2 BR, near Palmer and Merriman. \$495/mo. 313-459-9830.

100. Will Share

BELLEVILLE, MATURE, clean, non-smoker, private bedroom, house privileges. References. \$350/mo. 697-9624.

LOOKING FOR Someone to share rent on city home in Wayne. References. \$300 per mo. includes utilities. Call Jim, 6-10pm. (313)721-5076.

105. Mobile Homes for Sale

Absolutely Beautiful \$0 DOWN \$0 LOT RENT

Bank repos, must sell. Over 300 locally and state wide. Will move. EZ terms. New/used. **Nat'l Prop., 1-800-798-7275.**

ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS

Includes appliances, central air, covered deck, drywall throughout, vinyl sided, shingled roof. \$476/mo. includes lot rent.

HOLLY HOMES 697-5400 (9.75% APR, 10% dn., 240 mos.)

CHAMPION, 14x54, 2 BR, 1 bath, deck, \$6,500 or best offer. 295-9495.

CREDIT SPECIALIST

Very few turned down! **DALE'S MOBILE HOME SALES**

Offering new 16X80 and 16X72 at reduced rates, both in West Ridge Estates! Also 14X70 used, 2 BR, in West Ridge Estates, low down, will finance. 14X70, used, 3 BR in Willow Run Estates if bank won't finance you, we will.

1-800-615-9099.

VAN BUREN ESTATES

14X72 home sits on a prime and oversized lot. Features central air, front bay window, large living room with new carpet, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths with garden tub in master bath. Also includes all appliances, washer/dryer. Seller is motivated!

CALL LITTLE VALLEY 487-8020

106. Houses for Sale

LITTLE VALLEY WESTLAND MEADOWS

This 1989 Champion offers 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, all appliances, central air, white kitchen w/ track lighting, corner lot. Four others to choose from. Priced for quick sale. Call Shannon for appointment, 313-487-8020.

89. Apartments for Rent

WESTHAVEN MANOR

RETIREMENT COMMUNITY

Live the Lifestyle You Deserve!

- Lovely Apartments
- Activity Coordinator
- 55 years and over
- Maxi-van Transportation
- Restaurant
- Pets Welcome
- and much more...

34601 Elmwood, Westland

729-3690

TDD 1-800-649-3777

Equal Housing Opportunity

STARTER HOME! neat 2 bedroom ranch, aluminum sided for easy care. Newer vinyl windows, furnace, central air, hot water heater and carpeting. Large fenced yard. Only \$43,900.

YOUNG FAMILY! Freshly decorated 3 bedroom brick ranch. Newer windows, furnace, central air and pool. Finished basement, 2 car garage. Patio. \$75,900.

QUICK OCCUPANCY! Sharp home in family neighborhood. Features: 1 1/2 baths, family room, newer oak cupboards in kitchen and newer thermo windows. Home Warranty! \$83,900.

COLDWELL BANKER LEGACY, INC. 729-2500

113. Real Estate Wanted

MAKE MONEY in Foreclosures

For more info. call 313-730-9864.

WE BUY HOUSES, LAND CONTRACTS, AND VACANT LOTS.

We'll beat anybody's prices! 326-8300.

115. Autos for Sale

1974 CAPRICE Classic convertible, \$5,500 or best offer. All original. **1992 Chevy** pick up, 2500 Series, high miles, but excellent condition, \$8,700 or best offer. 729-4816.

1980 PONTIAC Bonneville, 4 dr., one owner, new brakes, new tires, new master cylinder, battery - 2 yrs., 67,000 miles. \$1,050. 397-0476.

1984 CADILLAC Brougham, parting out, excellent body, no rust, rear end damaged, blue. Call 697-1315.

1984 CORVETTE, auto, air, stereo, 59,000 actual miles, like buying a new one! \$8,999.

TYME AUTO 455-5566

1984 T-BIRD, red, runs good, needs some work. \$500. Call 721-2857 if no answer, leave message. I will call back.

1986 MERCURY Lynx, auto, P.B., AC, good interior, runs good, good body, no rust. \$550 or best offer. See at 1155 Wayne Rd., Westland. 467-4851

1989 T-BIRD Super Coupe, blue/gold, custom, new supercharger and trans., receipts, high miles, dependable, \$6,200 neg. or \$1,200 down. 313-721-3068 or 201-4365 Pager.

1990 PLYMOUTH Acclaim, LE, V6, automatic, loaded. Black cherry, 70,000 miles, excellent condition. Asking \$4,500 or best offer. 313-782-9758.

1990 THUNDERBIRD Super Coupe, 64,000 miles, extended warranty, auto and air, like buying a new one. Small down, payments as low as \$149 per month. 20 minute credit approval buy phone. OAC.

TYME AUTO 4455-5566

1991 FORD Thunderbird, 57,000 miles, one owner, V-6 engine, AM/FM cassette, automatic transmission, P.S., P.B., excellent condition. \$6075. Call 722-1144

1991 MERCURY Sable LS Wagon, loaded. Must see. 942-0268

1991 PONTIAC Sunbird LE, V-6 engine, 53,000 miles, P.W., P.L., air, blue/gray, \$6,000 or best. Day - 669-5040. Eve - 453-3486.

1992 FIREBIRD FORMULA, 34,000 miles, black on black, excellent condition, very clean, loaded with options. \$10,795. Call 721-71F.

1992 GEO Storm, automatic, 41,000 miles, \$1800 below black book. No money down. \$149 month, no co-signer needed. Must be working. Call for 20 minute credit approval.

TYME AUTO 455-5566

1992 PONTIAC Grand Am SE, 4 dr., auto, air, new tires, excellent condition, asking \$4,500 or trade for full size pick up. 313-459-7223.

1994 FORD Tempo GL, 5 speed, air, stereo, low miles, \$5300 or best. 313-697-3401.

1994 GRAND MARQUIS 4 DR. LS, full power, loaded. Only \$11,994.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1994 TAURUS "SHO", auto, air, moonroof, leather, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, cassette, A.B.S. brakes. Starting from only \$12,994.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 CHEVROLET Beretta GT, 29,000 miles, priced \$1149 below black book. Only \$99 down, no co-signer needed. First time buyer plan available. Biring cash.

TYME AUTO 455-5566

1995 CHEVY Lumina Z34, white, excellent condition. loaded, \$8,500. 397-1248.

1993 SATURN, auto, air, stereo, 56,000 miles. Extended warranty available. Small down, payments as low as \$139 per month. No co-signer needed, must be working.

TYME AUTO 455-5566

1995 MUSTANG VICTORIAS (3), 4 dr., power windows/locks/seat, cruise, tilt, loaded, low miles. From only \$14,495.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 ESCORT WAGONS (2), auto, air, 15,000-21,000 miles, 1 owners. From only \$9,495.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 FORD Escort, extremely low miles, only 12,000 mi. Nothing wrong with it, just was outgrown. Still under factory warranty. Asking for \$9,800 or best offer. Call 326-9740.

1995 MUSTANG "GT" CONVERTIBLES (4), leather or cloth, loaded, low miles, 1 owner, all loaded. Starting from only \$16,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1996 CROWN VICTORIA LX, auto, air, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, power seat, aluminum wheels. \$15,496.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1996 JEEP Cherokee Laredo 4X4, 5 speed, 6 cyl., loaded, high miles but in excellent condition. \$5000 or best. 326-3117.

1991 CHEVY S10, 4 cyl., stick, 28 mpg, no rust, runs very good, \$2,750 or best. 313-467-4851.

1991 CHEVY S-10 pickup, one owner, very clean, no rust, runs good, 4 cylinder, 5 speed, 28 MPG. \$2750 or best offer. 467-4851

1993 EXPLORER XLT 4 wd, dark green, new tires, brakes and exhaust, leather interior, lumbar seating, loaded, excellent condition. \$12,995. Call 697-7575 days, Mike.

1996 SABLE 4 DR. LS (2), auto, air, full power, 24V V-6 engine, cloth/leather interior. \$14,996.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 SABLE GS/LS 4 DR. (15), auto, air, 6 cyl., power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, low miles, 1 owner lease turn ins. From only \$9,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 SABLE LS 4 DR., auto, air, moonroof, leather, 3.8 liter, A.B.S. brakes, digital dash, keyless entry, loaded. \$11,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS GL WAGONS (7), auto, air, V-6, full power, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, 1 owners. From \$12,595.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS 4 DR. GL/SE/LX (24), auto, air, 6 cyl., power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, cassette, 1 owners, best selection in town. Starting from \$9,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS GL WAGONS (7), auto, air, V-6, full power, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, 1 owners. From \$12,595.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1993 CHEVY Lumina Z34, white, excellent condition. loaded, \$8,500. 397-1248.

1993 SATURN, auto, air, stereo, 56,000 miles. Extended warranty available. Small down, payments as low as \$139 per month. No co-signer needed, must be working.

TYME AUTO 455-5566

1995 MUSTANG VICTORIAS (3), 4 dr., power windows/locks/seat, cruise, tilt, loaded, low miles. From only \$14,495.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 ESCORT WAGONS (2), auto, air, 15,000-21,000 miles, 1 owners. From only \$9,495.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 FORD Escort, extremely low miles, only 12,000 mi. Nothing wrong with it, just was outgrown. Still under factory warranty. Asking for \$9,800 or best offer. Call 326-9740.

1995 MUSTANG "GT" CONVERTIBLES (4), leather or cloth, loaded, low miles, 1 owner, all loaded. Starting from only \$16,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1996 CROWN VICTORIA LX, auto, air, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, power seat, aluminum wheels. \$15,496.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1996 JEEP Cherokee Laredo 4X4, 5 speed, 6 cyl., loaded, high miles but in excellent condition. \$5000 or best. 326-3117.

1991 CHEVY S10, 4 cyl., stick, 28 mpg, no rust, runs very good, \$2,750 or best. 313-467-4851.

1991 CHEVY S-10 pickup, one owner, very clean, no rust, runs good, 4 cylinder, 5 speed, 28 MPG. \$2750 or best offer. 467-4851

1993 EXPLORER XLT 4 wd, dark green, new tires, brakes and exhaust, leather interior, lumbar seating, loaded, excellent condition. \$12,995. Call 697-7575 days, Mike.

1996 SABLE 4 DR. LS (2), auto, air, full power, 24V V-6 engine, cloth/leather interior. \$14,996.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 SABLE GS/LS 4 DR. (15), auto, air, 6 cyl., power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, low miles, 1 owner lease turn ins. From only \$9,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 SABLE LS 4 DR., auto, air, moonroof, leather, 3.8 liter, A.B.S. brakes, digital dash, keyless entry, loaded. \$11,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS GL WAGONS (7), auto, air, V-6, full power, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, 1 owners. From \$12,595.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS 4 DR. GL/SE/LX (24), auto, air, 6 cyl., power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, cassette, 1 owners, best selection in town. Starting from \$9,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1996 JEEP Cherokee Laredo 4X4, 5 speed, 6 cyl., loaded, high miles but in excellent condition. \$5000 or best. 326-3117.

1991 CHEVY S10, 4 cyl., stick, 28 mpg, no rust, runs very good, \$2,750 or best. 313-467-4851.

1991 CHEVY S-10 pickup, one owner, very clean, no rust, runs good, 4 cylinder, 5 speed, 28 MPG. \$2750 or best offer. 467-4851

1993 EXPLORER XLT 4 wd, dark green, new tires, brakes and exhaust, leather interior, lumbar seating, loaded, excellent condition. \$12,995. Call 697-7575 days, Mike.

1996 SABLE 4 DR. LS (2), auto, air, full power, 24V V-6 engine, cloth/leather interior. \$14,996.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 SABLE GS/LS 4 DR. (15), auto, air, 6 cyl., power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, low miles, 1 owner lease turn ins. From only \$9,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 SABLE LS 4 DR., auto, air, moonroof, leather, 3.8 liter, A.B.S. brakes, digital dash, keyless entry, loaded. \$11,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS GL WAGONS (7), auto, air, V-6, full power, power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, 1 owners. From \$12,595.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1995 TAURUS 4 DR. GL/SE/LX (24), auto, air, 6 cyl., power windows/locks, cruise, tilt, cassette, 1 owners, best selection in town. Starting from \$9,995.

Jack Demmer Ford 721-2600

1996 JEEP Cherokee Laredo 4X4, 5 speed, 6 cyl., loaded, high miles but in excellent condition. \$5000 or best. 326-3117.

1991 CHEVY S10, 4 cyl., stick, 28 mpg, no rust, runs very good, \$2,750 or best. 313-467-4851.

A-1
USED
CARS

AT ATCHINSON FORD

We Retail the Best And Wholesale The Rest

Save Thousands! Huge Selection!

12 month 12,000 mile limited warranty

| | | |
|--|--|---|
| <div>1992 Ranger 6 cyl, auto, air, 51,000 miles, 1 owner</div> <div>\$8,495</div> | <div>UNDER \$8995</div> <div>'93 Tempo 2 dr. 5 speed, 32,000 miles, 1 owner</div> <div>\$5,495</div> <div>'93 Escort Wagon Air, auto., 36,000 miles, 1 owner, like new</div> <div>\$7,495</div> | <div>'94 Escort 2 dr. Sport Blue, 5 spd, air, extra clean</div> <div>\$7,995</div> <div>'92 Mercury Cougar LS Loaded, super clean</div> <div>\$8,995</div> |
| <div>1994 FORD TAURUS SHO 1 owner, 25,000 miles</div> <div>\$14,995</div> | <div>LUXURY CARS</div> <div>'93 Crown Vic LX 1 owner, loaded</div> <div>\$10,995</div> <div>'96 Thunderbird V8, moonroof, leather, CD, 14,000 miles</div> <div>\$15,795</div> | <div>'94 Mark VII Black, leather, loaded, 38,000 miles</div> <div>\$18,995</div> <div>'94 Lincoln Town Car Like new, super clean, sharp</div> <div>\$17,995</div> |
| <div>1995 Thunderbird V-6, loaded, black, 7,000 miles, 1 owner</div> <div>\$13,995</div> | <div>SPORTY</div> <div>'96 Thunderbird V-6, P. moonroof, leather int., CD, 12,000 miles, black beauty</div> <div>\$15,995</div> <div>'96 Contour Black, 1,300 miles, won't last</div> <div>\$13,995</div> | <div>'95 Mustang 24,000 miles, bright blue, 1 owner</div> <div>\$13,495</div> <div>'95 Probe GT V-6, auto, loaded, 28,000 miles</div> <div>\$13,995</div> |
| <div>1995 F-350 CREW CAB 4x4 XLT 460, auto</div> <div>\$23,995</div> | <div>TRUCKS</div> <div>'96 F-150 XLT 5.0L, auto, air, full pwr., 21,000 miles, A-title, a bargain at...</div> <div>\$15,495</div> <div>'95 F-150 Eddie Bauer V-8, auto, full power, 11,000 miles</div> <div>\$14,995</div> | <div>'93 F-150 V-8, auto., A-Title, 1 owner, sharp truck, 34,000 miles.</div> <div>\$11,995</div> <div>'95 F-150 4x4 8 cyl, loaded, 27,000 miles, 1 owner</div> <div>\$15,995</div> |
| <div>1994 EXPLORER 4 DR. XLT 4X4 Black, auto, loaded</div> <div>\$16,995</div> | <div>SPORTS UTILITIES</div> <div>'94 Bronco Eddie Bauer 1 owner, Green & Tan</div> <div>\$17,495</div> | <div>'96 Bronco XLT 15,000 miles, 8 cyl, loaded</div> <div>\$23,995</div> <div>'96 Explorer 4 dr. 4X4 XLT Dark green, 1 owner, 24,000 miles</div> <div>\$22,995</div> |
| <div>1995 Windstar LX Quad capt. chairs, dual air, 17,000 miles, 1 owner</div> <div>\$18,495</div> | <div>VANS</div> <div>'96 Windstar 8,000 miles, 1 owner</div> <div>\$18,995</div> <div>'94 Aerostar Extended XL V-6, auto, air, power, loaded, black, extra sharp!</div> <div>\$12,495</div> | <div>'95 Windstar Priced to sell.</div> <div>\$14,995</div> <div>'92 E-150 Conversion Van Green & White for you MSU Fans.</div> <div>\$12,995</div> |

ATCHINSON FORD

9800 BELLEVILLE ROAD, BELLEVILLE

SALE HOURS: MON.-THURS. 9-9

SAT: 10 AM - 4 PM

697-9161

KRUG

274-8812

274-8800

HOURS: MON. & THURS. 8am to 9pm • TUES., WED., & FRI. 8am to 6pm

| | | |
|--|--|---|
| <div>91 Town Car Executive Series</div> <div></div> <div>49,000 miles, gold w/cloth trim</div> <div>\$10,999</div> | <div>92 Town Car Signature Series</div> <div></div> <div>54,000 miles, leather</div> <div>\$14,599</div> | <div>93 Cougar Special Edition</div> <div></div> <div>47,000 one owner miles</div> <div>\$9,599</div> |
| <div>94 Aerostar XL</div> <div></div> <div>28,000 miles, air</div> <div>\$10,599</div> | <div>95 Mustang GT</div> <div></div> <div>20,000 miles, 5 speed, V-8, 5.0L</div> <div>\$14,595</div> | <div>93 Probe GT</div> <div></div> <div>35,000 one owner miles, Red</div> <div>\$9,899</div> |
| <div>95 Taurus SHO</div> <div></div> <div>Moonroof, loaded, all the toys, 27,000 miles.</div> <div>\$15,995</div> | <div>89 Merkur XR4TI</div> <div></div> <div>32,000 actual miles, auto, moonroof, leather.</div> <div>\$6,499</div> | <div>95 Jeep Wrangler Rio Grande</div> <div></div> <div>17,000 actual miles, hardtop, sound bar</div> <div>\$13,999</div> |

KRUG LINCOLN/MERCURY

21531 MICHIGAN AVE. • DEARBORN

Pat Milliken

HOME OF THE SMILIN' IRISHMAN

Ford

| | | |
|---|--|--|
| <div>CARS</div> <div></div> <div>'96 TAURUS GL</div> <div>Auto, air, P.S., P.B., P.W., P.L., cruise, tilt, AM/FM/Cassette</div> <div>\$13,777</div> | <div>SPORT</div> <div></div> <div>'95 MUSTANG GT</div> <div>5 speed, 5.0 V-8, Mach stereo, 17" wheels, air, P.S., P.B., P.W., P.L., cruise, tilt., AM/FM/Cass.</div> <div>\$14,979</div> | <div>TRUCK & VAN</div> <div></div> <div>'97 F-150 4X4 SC 4X4 XLT</div> <div>Auto, air, P.S., P.B., P.W., P.L., tilt, cruise, low miles, AM/FM/Cass., off road pkg.</div> <div>\$20,999</div> |
| <div>'95 SABLE GS</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$11,676</div> | <div>'95 EXPLORER LTD</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., leather.....</div> <div>\$26,459</div> | <div>'95 WINDSTAR</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$13,577</div> |
| <div>'94 COUGAR LS</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., V-8.....</div> <div>\$12,778</div> | <div>'94 TAURUS SHO</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., leather, moonroof.....</div> <div>\$11,981</div> | <div>'95 E-350 15 PASSENGER VAN</div> <div>Front & rear air, auto, low miles, PS, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$17,944</div> |
| <div>'95 TAURUS GL</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$11,784</div> | <div>'93 EXPLORER 2 DR. SPORT</div> <div>V-6, auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$13,788</div> | <div>'93 AEROSTAR EXT.</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$10,686</div> |
| <div>'95 ESCORT 4 DR.</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PB, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$9,494</div> | <div>'96 EXPLORER 2 DR. SPORT</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$19,351</div> | <div>'94 E-150 ECONOLINE CONV. VAN</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., quad chairs, TV, VCP.....</div> <div>\$14,388</div> |
| <div>'94 CROWN VICTORIA LX</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$12,947</div> | <div>'94 EXPLORER XLT</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$16,688</div> | <div>'95 CLUB WAGON</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$19,979</div> |
| <div>'94 TAURUS GL</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PB, PW, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$9,588</div> | <div>'94 PROBE GT</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$11,377</div> | <div>'95 RANGER 4X4 SC XLT</div> <div>V-6, air, tilt, PS, PB, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$15,988</div> |
| <div>'92 CROWN VICTORIA LX</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., low miles.....</div> <div>\$8,777</div> | <div>'95 THUNDERBIRD</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., low miles.....</div> <div>\$12,944</div> | <div>'96 F-150 EDDIE BAUER</div> <div>Air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$13,944</div> |
| <div>'94 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., leather.....</div> <div>\$13,988</div> | <div>'96 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LARADO</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$21,799</div> | <div>'95 VILLAGER GS</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$14,273</div> |
| <div>'93 ESCORT WAGON</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PB, cruise, tilt, AM/FM stereo, low miles.....</div> <div>\$7,791</div> | <div>'93 EXPLORER XLT 4 DR.</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$13,988</div> | <div>'92 ECONOLINE CONV. VAN</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass., TV-VCP.....</div> <div>\$12,748</div> |
| <div>'95 ESCORT HATCHBACK LX</div> <div>Auto, air, PS, PW, PB, PL, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/cass.....</div> <div>\$8,988</div> <td colspan="2"></td> | | |

I-96

PLYMOUTH

W. CHICAGO

JOY

WARREN

FORD

TELEGRAPH

MICHIGAN AVE.

I-96

PAT
MILLIKEN
FORD

N

W

E

S

Pat Milliken

Ford

9600 TELEGRAPH

(313) 255-3100

ASK
ABOUT OUR
USED CAR
LEASING

HOURS:
MON. & THURS.
8:30 - 9
T-W-F
8:30 - 6

A Ford ABLE
USED CARS & TRUCKS

[illegible]